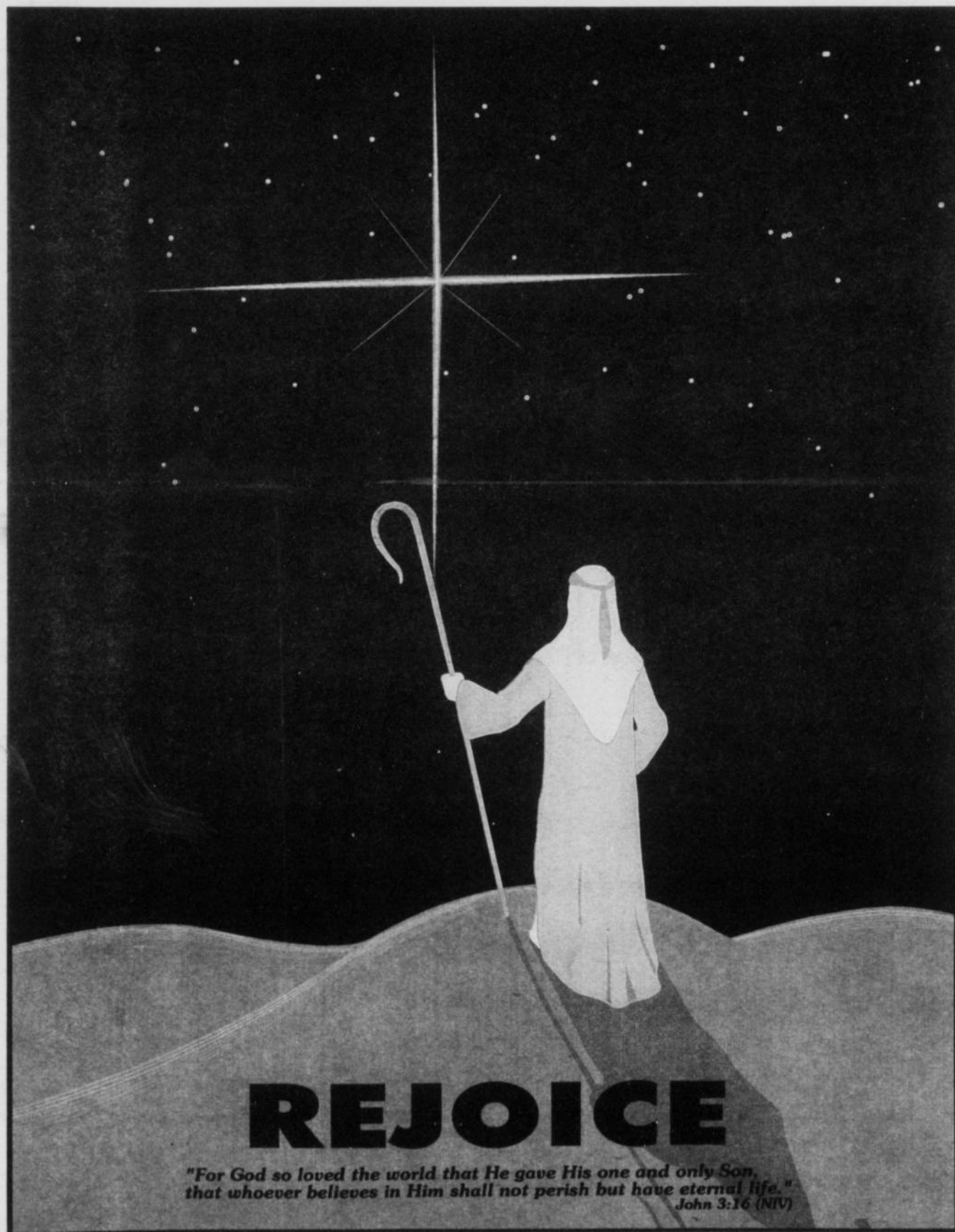


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# REVIEW

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## SECTION B



# REJOICE

*"For God so loved the world that He gave His one and only Son,  
that whoever believes in Him shall not perish but have eternal life."  
John 3:16 (NIV)*



## At the Kitchen Table

by Noreen Olson



The Christmas concert began as a church activity. It was a way of bringing the nativity closer to the congregation and most of the parts were played by adults. When our country was being settled the school house had to double as a church and the concert's organization fell more upon the local school teacher. It was then that the content became a bit more secular and children became the major players. These days the Christmas concert is pretty well back in the church and the players are mostly children. Meanwhile vestiges of the old rural concert cling to those of us who were raised in that era and concert style readings and poems remain in our memories.

At our W.I. meeting yesterday Catharine Reid read 2 delightful pieces one of which was the wonderful story of "Hoodoo McFiggan's Christmas" by Stephen Leacock. Another great reading is, "The Boy Who Laughed at Santa Claus" by Ogden Nash and yet another Ogden Nash that I truly love is "The Christmas That Almost Wasn't." All of these favorites are too long for a column but as my Christmas gift to you I offer a few little sillies from my family collection.

### A Farmer's Boy

They strolled down the lane together,  
The sky was studded with stars-  
They reached the gate in silence  
And he lifted down the bars-  
She neither smiled nor thanked him  
Because she knew not how;  
For he was just a farmer's boy  
And she was a Jersey Cow.

### The Vulture

The Vulture eats between his meals,  
And that's the reason why  
He very, very, rarely feels  
As well as you or I.  
His eye is dull, his head is bald,  
His neck is growing thinner  
Oh, what a lesson for us all  
To only eat at dinner.

### The Panther

A panther is just like a leopard,  
Except that he hasn't been peppered.  
So if you should see a panther crouch,  
Get ready to say ouch.  
Better yet, when called by a panther,  
Don't anther.

This last one was a guaranteed tear jerker in it's day. The last time I read it to some children they laughed themselves silly. I'm not sure what that proves.

### The Lost Doll

I once had a dear little doll, dears,  
The prettiest doll in the world;  
Her cheeks were so red and so white, dears,  
And her hair was so charmingly curled.  
But I lost my poor little doll, dears,  
As I played in the field one day;  
And I cried for her more than a week, dears,  
But I never could find where she lay.  
I found my poor little doll, dears,  
As I played in the field one day;  
Folks say she is terribly changed, dears,  
For her paint is all washed away,  
And her arms trodden off by the cows, dears,  
And her hair not the least bit curled;  
Yet for old sake's sake, she is still, dears,  
The prettiest doll in the world.

Merry Christmas from my kitchen table.

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## High school proposes responsible attendance plan

by Janice Harrington  
Review Editor

The Didsbury High School will be implementing a unique attendance plan for its grade 12 students in the second half of this year.

Starting in the second semester, grade 12 students will no longer be required to account for every absence. According to Principal Ian Taylor, the idea is to give grade 12 students more responsibility for their own education and to ease some of the workload for administrative staff.

"Previously, if a student was absent, they had to bring a note to get back into class. If they forgot it, then the school secretary would call their home to find out where they had been. With this new system, we will still track attendance, but parents will only be notified at a certain point," he said.

Taylor, who introduced the idea at the last school board meeting, said the idea has the support of the school's staff and parent advisory committee. He said there are several reasons why they feel this system will be more effective.

"The idea is to cut back administrative time and to give kids more of a sense of responsibility," he said. "There are many examples of students who did very well in high school who experience difficulties in the less structured environment of university or college. This plan helps prepare them a little for that."

Taylor also said the former system of checking out every absence with parents no longer works effectively in today's society where students are increasingly living on their own by grade 12.

"The idea that we plan to convey to the students is that they are the ultimate losers if they miss

classes. Alberta Education used to stress credits based on the hours a student was in class and they could hold back credits if attendance was low. Now the emphasis is just on schools providing the opportunity for the time in classes."

But while the school board gave its conditional approval of the plan for next semester, they did question whether or not grade 12 students could handle the added responsibility.

"I don't think all the students are at a point in their lives where they can be responsible enough," said Trustee Murray Snyder. "I think we are going to lose some kids through the cracks."

Students who wish to participate in the new attendance plan for the New Year will have to get permission from their parents.



### Santa wishes

Hundreds of Didsbury children lined up at the gazebo last Friday night to get a chance to whisper their Christmas wishes to jolly St. Nick. Santa, who got a lift in to town by the Didsbury volunteer fire department, heard all the wishes and gave early Christmas presents of candy canes and mandarin oranges.

## Charges laid in vandalism spree

by Janice Harrington  
Review Editor

Two Caroline men and four young offenders face charges relating to vandalism and break and enter offences which have plagued the Sundre area over the past few months.

Sergeant W.P. McGhie of the Sundre RCMP detachment said

Charles Wesley Topp and Howard Michael Waunch, both 19-years-old, along with the four male young offenders were charged after a lengthy investigation by the RCMP.

Charges stemmed from an incident on November 18 when the Sundre curling rink was broken into and merchandise was stolen and from another incident on November 27 when the Pioneer Gen-

eral Store in Caroline was broken into along with the Sundre Elementary Junior High School. Several cars had tires slashed during the incidents.

RCMP said other charges may be laid relating to stolen car hood ornaments and spray painting incidents which have taken place over the past few months.



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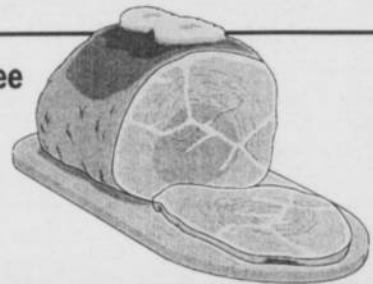
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# OPINIONS / EDITORIAL

## Responsible exercise



**Janice Harrington**

At Christmas time, it is always fitting to be able to hand out a bouquet to a local group who deserves recognition for some contribution. While the local high school and other schools in our town deserve recognition for their outstanding work, the recent plan for grade 12 attendance is especially noteworthy.

It is gratifying to see teachers and parents, if not school trustees, come to the realization that students should not be treated like chattel and have the ability to become responsible for themselves if given the opportunity. The idea to make them responsible, to a degree, for the quality of their education related to attendance is fitting with the efforts underway to prepare them for decision they must face later in their lives when there are not parents or teachers making decisions for them.

University is a sudden and difficult transition for students who have been told where to go, when to be there and what to do for the past 12 years of their education. Suddenly they are thrust out on their own without a safety net. Criticism has been leveled at high schools for many years for not preparing students enough for this transition. This new policy is certainly a step in the right direction.

Yes, student must learn to live by the rules because rules will follow them all of their lives, but we also must give students the understanding of why they should follow those rules. It is not significant if students attend classes because teachers and parents say they must. They have to learn the reason behind the rule.

In grade 12, parents and teachers still have a great deal of influence over a student's life. It is the best opportunity to teach them individual responsibility while they still have the safety net to protect them. It is also a great opportunity to teach students the difference between rights and responsibilities. Teach the students to become responsible for their own education and they just may apply that lesson throughout the rest of their lives.

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Since this is the last issue of the year, I would like to extend my warmest wishes to you and your families for a wonderful Christmas holiday. All the best to you in the New Year.

### Quote of the week

"The virgin will be with child and will give birth to a son, and they will call him Immanuel."

Matthew 1:23

## The public opinion

by Gordon Towers  
Lieutenant Governor of Alberta

Are you willing to forget what you have done for other people, and to remember what other people have done for you;

to ignore what the world owes you, and to think what you owe the world;

to put your rights in the background, and your duties in the middle distance, and

your chances to do a little more that your duty in the foreground;

to see that your fellowmen are just as real as you are, and try to look behind their faces to their hearts hungry for joy,

to own that probably the only good reason for your existence is not what you are going to get out of life, but what you are going to give to life;

to close your book of complaints against the management of the universe,

and look around you for a place

where you can sow a few seeds of happiness -

are you willing to do these things even for a day?

Then you can keep Christmas.

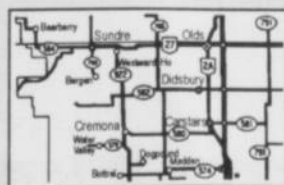
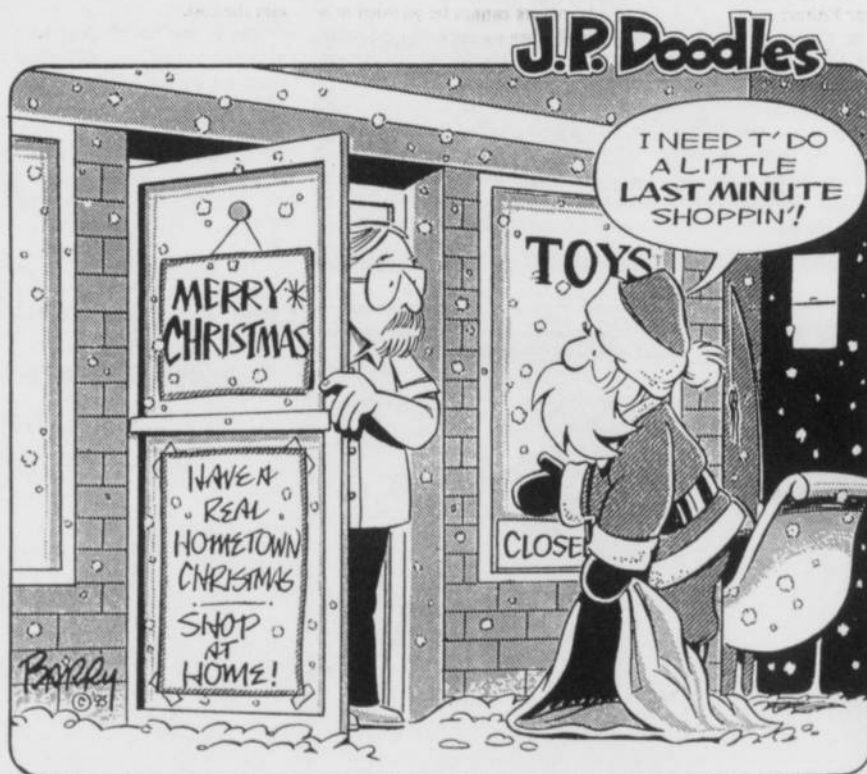
This is an excerpt from a piece of prose written by Henry Van Dyke about 1900. Our world and how we behave has not changed a great deal since this piece was written some 94 years ago. What was food for thought then is still the same now.

When Jesus was born in Bethlehem in the days of Herod, the kind, behold, there came wise men from the East to Jerusalem, saying, where is He that is born King of Jews? for we have seen His star in the East and are come to worship him. Herod called to the wise men and enquired of them what time the star appeared. The wise men departed and lo the star, which they saw in the east went before

them, till it came and stood over where the young child was. When they saw the star they rejoiced with exceeding great joy. When they saw the young child with Mary, His Mother, they fell down and worshipped Him and presented gifts of gold, frankincense and myrrh.

Christmas began nearly two thousand years ago when Christ was born in a stable in a small Jewish town. His birth changed the history of the world and its celebration is what Christmas is all about. Spiritually Christmas is a day of new beginnings, of light and warmth and of hope. As in the poem written by Henry Van Dyke, if we can care for one another, without any ill feelings for just one day, then we can keep Christmas.

My wife Doris joins me in wishing that love, peace and joy come to all this Christmas Season.



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# LETTERS

## Making a difference

Dear Editor:

As our planet shrinks under the probing eyes of news-starved cameras, I've been shocked by the horrors of the civil war in Bosnia, the famine in East Africa and the human rights abuses everywhere. It takes more than switching to another channel to make the problem go away. We can no longer afford to shrug our shoulders in indifference and look the other way.

This past summer I had the opportunity, as part of World Vision's 30 Hour Famine, to visit Senegal, West Africa, a country afflicted by a drought which has lasted more than 10 years.

What I saw touched me deeply. World Vision, which has been involved in much of Senegal since

1986, was celebrating the drilling of its 400th well while I was there. As I visited rural communities I began to appreciate what each one of these wells and pumps meant to the 400 villages they served.

In the wake of these wells came the women's co-ops, the schools, the market gardens, and the laughing faces of children who now had a future. Women no longer had to walk 12-kilometre round trips to get a pail of water from a polluted water hole. I was among proud and industrious people who were grateful for renewed hope.

I felt proud of my students who two years running had raised enough funds through the World Vision 30 Hour Famine to equip two villages with deep wells and

hand pumps. I could not wait to get back to share with them the impact of their efforts.

There is no longer an excuse for looking the other way - we can all do the right thing. I'm writing this letter because I want to thank the thousands of B.C. teens who participated in last year's 30 Hour Famine. After seeing how efficiently the money was spent in Senegal, I can say the 30 Hour Famine is well worth doing again. This year I urge teens throughout B.C. and Alberta to get involved and be part of the solution.

Joel Morassutti  
Teacher.  
Coquitlam, B.C.

## A Christmas wish

Dear Editor:

Strip joints throughout Alberta will be featuring strippers baring it all to sell booze and get tips for Santas Anonymous.

Bank robbers could put on a push and raise extra money for needy children at Christmas-time. Kind hearted firemen could create jobs by starting fires to raise extra funding.

How many children will not be having a Christmas this year be-

cause of family problems resulting from gross indecency and nudity in strip joints which strike at the heart of the home, commitment? No amount of presents under a Christmas tree can compensate for the emotional insecurity and suffering children undergo.

No amount of presents under the tree can compensate children for the trauma and abuse brought about by increased drunkenness with obscenity as the marketing

tool.

How many children will be denied presents under the tree this year because of money spent on liquor and tips to strippers in strip bars?

So if the strippers want to help needy children at Christmas time, they can get out of the sleaze business.

Audrey Jensen.  
Stettler

## Saving money for Christmas

Dear Editor:

Re: Christmas Messages

It has been the custom for the Government of Alberta to place a paid advertisement in all Alberta publications, wishing Albertans the best of the holiday season.

We have decided to break with that tradition this year and will not be placing a season's greetings advertisement. Frankly, the cost to

taxpayers cannot be justified at a time when we are working hard to balance the budget and evaluating every expenditure.

This does not lessen our commitment to communicating directly to Albertans through the use of paid advertising. As currently is the practice, government advertising will continue to be used when clearly established objectives war-

rant the cost.

Thank you for all your hard work over the past year, helping us communicate with Albertans and providing them with information.

Best wishes to you, your staff and families in the New Year.

Sincerely,  
Ralph Klein  
Premier



## Fundraising draw

Pearl Craig makes the draw with Just Kidding Around Parents Group President Denise Derksen for their 50-50 draw. The winner was Lorrene Lawson of Olds. Lawson won \$338.50. The group's 50 percent will go towards the operation of their toy library.

## An eastern invitation

Dear Editor:

1994 will be a Banner year for Westville, N.S. when it will celebrate its 100th Birthday.

In conjunction with celebrations, the Westville Homecoming Society has a full schedule of events planned during June 30 - July 7, 1993, including a full reunion of all former students and teachers, a dance, variety concert, family picnic, church service, town/country tour, etc. The Town's annual Canada Day celebrations will be on-going during this time as well.

The Committee is hoping to reach as many former Westville persons who attended or taught any grade in the Westville school system so they may send their name and address and in turn we will

forward our newsletter outlining our itinerary. We want to make this information available early to assist those who are able to plan their summer vacation "to come see the old gang".

Please send your name and address to Mrs. Dorothy (Hunter) Boehk, P.O. Box 411, Westville, N.S. B0K 2A0 and hope you "Come Home in '94".

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## Didsbury library news

Brighten up your winter by feeding the birds. The library has books with plans for birdfeeders and information on what to feed. Once you start feeding the birds they come to depend on you, so if you start you should keep feeding until spring.

### Pine Cone Filling for Feeding Birds

- 1 cup melted suet
- 1/2 c. peanut butter
- 1/2 c. cornmeal & chopped raisins
- 1/2 c. rolled oats
- 1/2 c. wheat germ
- 1/2 c. crushed walnuts

Mix together and spoon into large open pine cones (attach string or wire for hanging). Keep filled pine cones in freezer until needed.

Birds in this area who enjoy a suet feeder include chickadees, woodpeckers, blue jays and nuthatches.

---from Winter Bird Feeding: An Alberta Guide, by Myrna Pearman.

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#### Electoral Division of Olds-Didsbury

Candidate Name	Party Affiliation	Expenses
Roy BRASSARD	Alberta Progressive Conservative	24,275.
Dennis COMBS	C.O.R. - Alberta	538.
Donna GOLE	Alberta Liberal Party	8,457.
Derry H. MACFARLANE	Alberta Social Credit Party	200.
Ruth SCOTT	Alberta New Democrats	200.



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# Olds pool plebiscite set for January 25

by Elaine Wilson  
Review Writer

A proposal to borrow \$1.5 million to cover the balance of the \$2.5 million Olds indoor pool project costs not covered by other resources will be put to a vote on January 25.

A petition containing 640 names collected by a group of Olds residents was presented to council on December 13. The petition, deemed valid and sufficient by Olds Director of Finance, Darcy Webb, initiated

ated the decision to allow a vote on the borrowing issue by ballot.

Calculations on increases to taxpayers to cover the loan and operations based on the 1993 municipal budget projected hikes of four to five percent to cover the debenture payments and operating deficit. Owners of an 1110 square foot bungalow built in 1969 face an estimated increase of \$59.12, while approximately \$98.78 would be added to the levy on a 2,140 square foot two story house built in 1988.

Petition representatives said that halting pool construction was not their intent.

"We don't feel we have any more right than anyone else to tell town residents they can't have a pool if the majority want it," petition representative Randal Neufeld said. "We didn't put in our petition with the intent to kill the pool, we just want a plebiscite so everybody gets a chance to vote on it."

The impact on existing neighboring facilities came up dur-

ing door-knocking rounds.

"A lot of people asked about Didsbury's pool," Neufeld said. "It's surprising how many Olds residents support it, it surprised me, anyway. They said, 'I go there every week for a swim', or 'my kids are enroled every summer for swimming lessons'. What is going to happen to Didsbury's pool? And Innisfail's?"

Neufeld said a wide range of concerns and groupings are represented in the petition.

"The more we went knocking on doors and talking to people, the more reasons we heard people had for signing the petition," Neufeld said. "They ranged from financial, to having more information before deciding, to location. There was certainly a broad spectrum, right from young couples new to town to senior citizens- it wasn't any one segment. There's a lot of people with a lot of ideas that didn't make it to the forums that want a chance to have their say."

## RCMP report

In recent weeks Didsbury RCMP have received several complaints of telemarketing scam. Below is an example of one such scam.

The complainant was contacted by a company originating from Quebec. The company advised that the complainant was eligible to win a 1993 Ford Aerostar if he purchased a quantity of gold pens for a total of \$1,495. The deal was that he would pay half up front and the other half up on delivery. The complainant sent the first half of

the money only to receive a quantity of cheap black pens. The second half of the money was sent on the promise that the complainant would receive a 1994 Jeep Eagle rather than the Ford Aerostar. The complainant has yet to receive the new vehicle and is now out \$1,495.

The above is a typical example of a telemarketing scam. If you are contacted by such a company with a similar story line, it is strongly urged that you contact the Better Business Bureau in Calgary before agreeing to any deal. The Better

Business Bureau has a list of all active companies and are able to tell you which companies are legitimate and which are not. If you are a victim of a telemarketing scam, contact Didsbury RCMP to file a complaint.

During the month of November, Didsbury RCMP responded to a total of 326 complaints. Of these 42 criminal code related files were opened. There were 47 motor vehicle accidents reported, 67 traffic tickets, 25 written warnings, and 2 liquor control act tickets issued.

## Tax reform proposal singled out by provincial commission

by Elaine Wilson  
Review Writer

Upon learning the newly established Conservative Alberta Tax Reform Commission was looking for input and ideas on tax reform, a father and daughter team comprised of two area residents were quick to respond.

Shelley Kohut, 31, a "farmer's wife" and a realtor with Quest Realty, and Len Turner, 56, a local cattle rancher, recently submitted a tax reform package the commission singled out as exemplary.

According to commission executive director Al Kalke, the Kohut/Turner presentation was a standout, even though most of the 150 oral and 240 written submissions were produced by representatives of industry associations, large corporations and a variety of special interest groups.

"Their submission is indeed a very interesting proposal," Kalke said. "Well thought out and researched and notably interesting in concept. It was well done because few people have such profound convictions. As I understand it they tested their thoughts and did a lot of work on it which is really quite admirable."

Kalke also acknowledged the fact that the reforms submitted dealt with corporate tax reforms which Kohut and Turner presented without bias, having no direct involvement in that area.

"[This proposal] will not benefit either of us except for those benefits that all Albertans would receive from a fiscally sound and prosperous economy," Kohut noted

in an excerpt from their submission.

The submission revolves around eliminating government grants to businesses and elimination of corporate taxes levied on Alberta businesses, specifying that the resulting tax savings should be reinvested back into the company.

"We've never done anything like this before," Kohut said, adding that the original version was painstakingly prepared by Turner, who originally envisioned a national application. Alteration of the proposal to a provincial structure served to validate the numbers on a smaller scale, while still remaining a realistic plan. The more the pair researched the proposal, the more convinced they became that their proposal was practical and feasible.

"I've got a lot of friends out of work and others that are worried about being laid off," Kohut said. "If [our proposal] reduces unemployment even by ten percent, I would say that's pretty spectacular."

The proposal outlines both direct and indirect results, although Kohut said precise figures were hard to obtain.

"We were unable to find out the exact amount of funds allocated to businesses by the government because the money is spread over different budgets and portfolios," Kohut said.

Obviously, putting people back to work would reduce the payout in social programs and unemployment, but Kohut considers the feasible "spin-offs" especially gratifying.

"People would have money with which to spend in all sectors," the proposal contends. "If even 20 percent of the people who were using treatment and programs paid for by the Family and Social Services budget didn't need them, because of improved lifestyles that would create an additional savings on our resources of \$55,191,159."

The proposal suggests that although government coffers would forfeit significant funds now collected through corporate taxes, the shortfall would be more than compensated for by savings in other sectors. Also, the proposal suggests that many companies would be attracted to relocate in Alberta creating "a tremendous competitive advantage over all the other

provinces and even some states."

Stimulating business is the key to reducing personal tax burdens and lowering the provincial deficit, the pair assert.

"People wouldn't be paying more income tax, more people would be paying income tax," Kohut said. "I believe in the idea."

The Alberta Tax Reform Commission members also see merit in the scheme and promise their submission will receive careful scrutiny.

"Right now we are examining each and every one of the submissions," Kalke said. "Then we will be meeting to get a sense of where to go with this. Around mid January we'll be submitting our recommendations and I really believe the

## Plant gets government grant

The Mountain View Water Commission received nearly \$300,000 last week from the provincial government for upgrades to its water treatment plant.

Roy Brassard, MLA for Olds/Didsbury made the announcement last week.

The grant, which equals half the \$564,630 price tag for upgrades to the former Anthony Henday Water Treatment plant, will be used to install new high lift pumps, upgrade the water treatment control system and to finish off other minor upgrading work.

The treatment plant and corresponding water delivery line is owned by the municipalities in Innisfail, Bowden, Olds, Didsbury, Carstairs and Crossfield.

government will take our recommendations seriously. One of the reasons for the tight time line is primarily to allow the government sufficient time to possibly input some of the proposals into the next budget."

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**Alison Wright**  
Sales Manager

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# LIFESTYLES

## Secrets to healthier, longer-lasting trees

Christmas trees are the centerpiece of many joyous holiday festivities. Children dream of presents under their Christmas tree for weeks before December 25, families gather around their tree to sing carols, and friends trim their trees while sharing holiday wishes. They are such a pivotal part of Christmas tradition, yet most people don't take enough time to prepare their Christmas trees for the long holiday season.

According to Jerry Baker, America's Master Gardener, and author of more than 35 books on gardening, "If you follow a few easy steps, you can have the best-looking, longest-lasting Christmas tree on your block."

The single most important thing to do is select a fresh tree. Most Christmas trees are cut in late September and are stockpiled until mid-November, so be careful. Baker says you can determine if a tree is fresh by doing the following:

- Bend a branch or two. If it snaps back quickly and appears flexible - it's a keeper.
- Pinch the needles. If there is some sap left on your fingers and the needles are green - grab it.
- Give the tree a good hard shake. If a bunch of needles fall off - leave it in the lot.

Most people think that once you have selected the tree, the next step is to bring it indoors and begin decorating. "But don't rush the introductions," says Baker. Before bringing your tree indoors, Baker recommends the following four steps to ensure that you have a happy and healthy tree well through the holiday season:

1. Trim your tree. Saw approximately one inch off the bottom of the tree's trunk to remove dried sap

that will prevent your tree from absorbing water.

2. Give your tree a bath. That's right! Baker says to spray your tree with a mixture of three cups of warm water and one cup dishsoap combined in your 20-gallon hose-end sprayer. Wash down the entire tree. This will kill any bugs that might otherwise gobble up your holiday goodies.

3. Give your tree a good coat. Spray it with a plant protector like CloudCover to lock in the moisture.

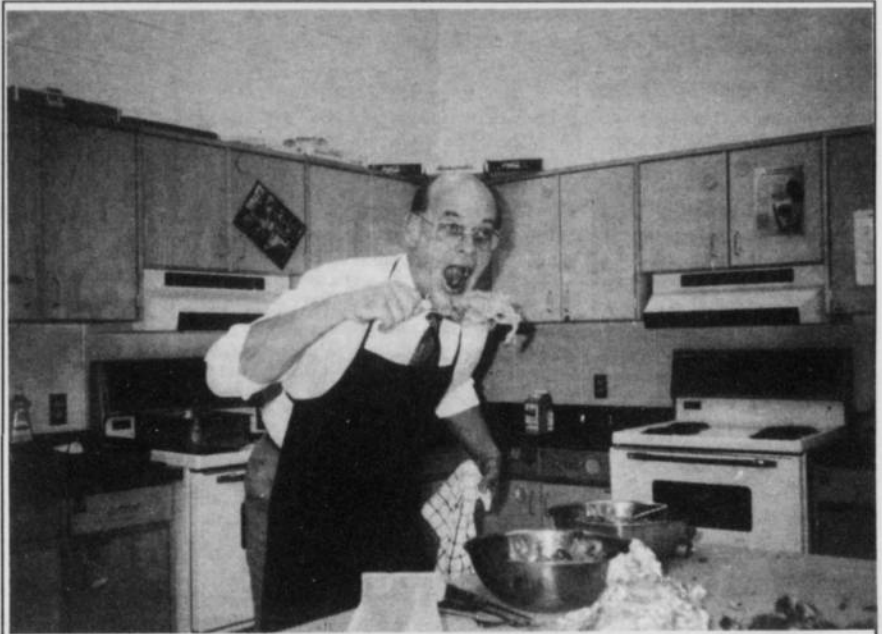
4. Soak its feet overnight. Fill a bucket with extra warm water and add one-quarter cup of clear corn syrup and a tablespoon of dry bleach. Set the base of the tree in the bucket and keep it there overnight.

Now you're ready to bring your tree indoors.

Once you bring your tree indoors, keep it away from direct heat and flames. And be sure to water frequently. Household heat is very drying to Christmas trees, so be sure to check the water daily.

"Last, but definitely not least," says Baker, "it is important to feed your Christmas tree, because trees are like people and need to eat." Baker recommends feeding your Christmas tree his "Yuletide Tonic" at least once a week:

- 1 gallon very hot water
- 2 cups clear corn syrup
- 2 tablespoons bleach
- 4 One-A-Day Plus Iron vitamins



### Christmas feasting

Westglen Principal Henry Petkau jokes around while preparing the annual Christmas feast for students held at Westglen last week. A tradition since the school opened 7 years ago, staff work together to prepare a feast for the students to share. Money to pay for the feast comes from profits made at the school's snack counter.



## Notes from Westglen

### Special to the Review

Welcome again to another article from Westglen School. November was a busy month and went by very quickly. Report cards were sent out and parent-teacher conferences were held. Student Council again organized some fun activities. More than 160 students went to the Village Square Leisure Centre to the wave-pool and to MacDonald's afterward. Thanks to Mrs. Banick, Mrs. Bonkowski, Mr. Green, Mrs. Hansen, Mrs. Israelson and Mrs. Whitlow for coming along to help us. There was Color Day at Westglen and it went very well.

Each class, A's, B's and C's were different colors to identify themselves. A's were red, B's were green, and C's were yellow.

Basketball season has started, and we have already had our first game. Westglen School won both the boy's and girl's games. One of the star players, Paul Ferguson scored 24 points in the game after only 4 practices!! Way to go Wildcats!!

Mrs. Hansen's grade seven social classes studied and celebrated multiculturalism with many visitors and speakers of different ethnic backgrounds. Some of the regions the students became ac-

quainted with were Thailand, Nicaragua, and the Northwest Territories. Exchange students now attending the Cremona High School discussed their own cultures which included Germany, Brazil, Norway and Japan.

In the Library Mrs. Hansen and an anonymous creative writing student from Didsbury High School sponsored a Creative Writing Contest. Winning the cash prize for first place was Lita McDonald. Becky Stabber won the second place prize.

Mrs. Whitlow's Grade 6B students organized a very, very successful Shoe Box Christmas cam-

paign that sent gifts to needy children in Bosnia. More than 50 boxes were sent.

That project started our Christmas spirit and now in December we are collecting for the Didsbury Christmas Hamper campaign. At noon on December 16 we had our annual Turkey Dinner for all the students and staff. Our school extends our appreciation and thanks to the volunteers for preparing such a delightful meal. Mrs. Sanders and her Peer Support group again organized a most successful Candygram program. Students pay to send a quantity of candy with a message to a friend to wish them a Merry

Christmas. The Peer Support Students then assemble the bags and messages and deliver them to the students.

We held our Christmas concert on December 9 and a huge audience enjoyed a variety of presentations from the Band, Drama and French classes. The month of December has been filled with excitement because of our Christmas holidays and all the activities we have held and now we look forward to a fun Christmas holiday. Westglen wishes you a very Merry Christmas. You'll hear from us again in 1994! Happy New Year!







# PERSONALITIES

## On getting a cochlear implant

by Helen Lane  
Special to the Review

This is a very wonderful invention, though terribly expensive and not for the faint-hearted either.

I went stone deaf just before Father's day, 1992, went immediately to my ear specialist in Calgary who gave me some prescriptions and told me to get up to the Didsbury hospital. Because I was not a citizen of Calgary, he could not put me into the hospital there, which makes for a lot of inconvenience but does force our own hospital to serve us well here.

This medication would bring back my hearing but only for a very short time. In the hospital there was good care and a very lovely roommate, so even without hearing sounds, I never felt out of it. The next day, my eyes wouldn't focus for me either, but my doctor gave me some sort of needle, which helped restore me a good deal. When I was discharged I didn't need to worry about the loss of communication for our town news helped supply me with note pads and Foothills Hospital was constantly calling me in for one test or another. There are a great variety of tests but the loss was far below the level of any hearing aid to help in the situation whatsoever. It helped a great deal when a friend said to me, "Helen, little things can turn you into a nervous wreck, but it's the big things you just roll over like a steam roller without blinking an eye." That line has helped me in a good many situations. Having good speech and knowledge of the spoken helped and I never doubted that I would regain my hearing because of my faith in God.

It took 1 year plus nearly five months before surgery did come

around, and then the healing process of six weeks before the audiology department could hook me up with my word processor. I like the idea of recharging the battery every night. This is just so very much more wonderful than running out of batteries on a weekend.

It has taken me time to get used to this word processor and like it very well now. I've worn it every day since the hook up. When sounds or volume get too loud I simply take aspirin, not turn it off as I see many older people do. Sounds are high much of the time, but I am learning all over again to tolerate them. I'm very grateful now for the surgery and ability to hear again, but it's not easy at first, the loud volume makes my nerves fried and even with my mother out here, we did have some trials.

I'm finding the speech reading and hearing work well together, for words often sound alike but by using speech reading plus listening, you're much more certain of what's been said.

With cochlear implants, they make a large incision and implant the whole cochlear device inside the head behind the ear. Then the whole area is closed and stitched. They leave the bandages on for three days and no one is able to walk out until after that is completed. I was terribly ill the first two days after surgery, and even my kids couldn't come to see me. On the third day I was allowed to leave the hospital with my daughter-in-law. I stayed with the kids one week and because the University hospital was so far from their house, we went in for check up earlier than and managed to get the stitches out early, which was fine by me because they drove me nuts.

My mother came from Vancou-

ver for support and to be with me during the hook up. With mother's help, I will say the cochlear team is right insisting on family support for we must learn again to listen as well as hear, which is tough, believe me. And my mother pointed out dozens of times I just wasn't listening which as a very hard of hearing person, I got away with that for so many years. Now I will admit that the speech reading course is paying off, though without support from Foothills hospital. The Lions club and my teacher, who I give credit to for so much patience, I couldn't have done it. Hearing loss people are the most deprived of a great many physical disorders, for we are simply cut right off, without much help.

With this cochlear implant I can now hear more clearly than before although the background noise is hard to filter out.

My ordeal wasn't too rough considering those who made sure that I had means of communication; writing things out, speech reading, (although it's frightfully difficult to lip read those speaking far to fast), but patience is the real key to helping us communicate whether we're just hard of hearing or stone deaf.

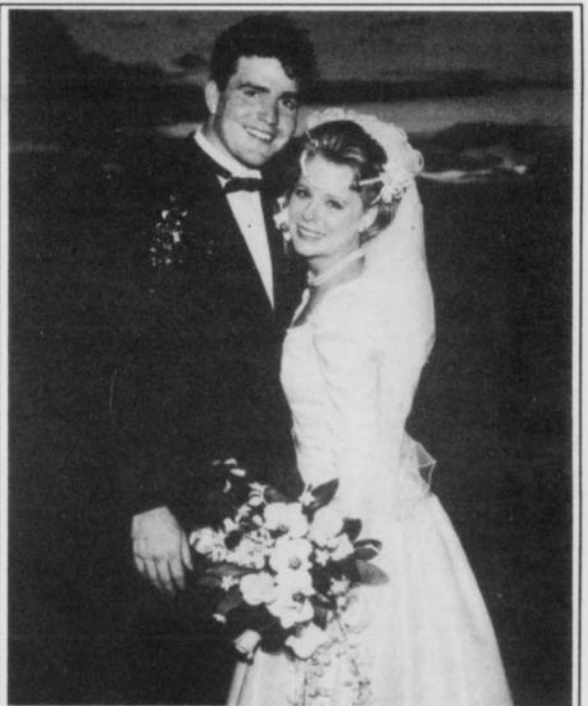
Now, I have the chance to wear my word processor often fifteen or sixteen hours a day, but I do enjoy the quiet when I'm able to disconnect altogether. I am most grateful for all I'm hearing and even when I wore my hearing aid. Now I just cope with the new sounds.

If there is one thing I hope people will remember is hearing is taken for granted nearly everywhere and for the true hearing handicapped, those who look upon us as less than we are simply fool themselves.



**Laveck - Johnson**

Rhonda Laveck and Phil Johnson were married on August 28, 1993 at the Lone Pine Hall east of Didsbury. Laveck is the youngest daughter of Joyce Laveck and Johnson is the youngest son of Dora Johnson. The couple now live east of Didsbury.



**Sharpe - Kingston**

Trina Lynn Sharpe and Shawn Patrick Kingston exchanged marriage vows in the presence of their families on July 10, 1993 on Maui. After honeymooning in Hawaii, the couple returned to make their home in Calgary.

## OORP throws Christmas party

by A. Pringle  
Special to the Review

At the Elks Hall last Sunday, the Royal Purple hosted a family Christmas Party.

The afternoon began with five ladies and Ron and Blair singing Christmas carols.

Hazel Milne gave a reading on the Christmas story which was followed by the members children presenting the nativity scene. Our

budding actors were: Mary - Donna Wagner, Joseph - Joshua Newton, Wise men - Samantha Wagner, Nicholas Krause and Justin Newton, Shepherds - Kyle Ryan and Allan Dickau. Angels were Jennifer Gilbert and Amber Collinge.

Askit was presented by the Royal Purple and the Five-O Singers really brought the Christmas spirit with their beautiful renditions of the carols.

Santa came to the delight of all

the youngsters. A lovely turkey supper brought the afternoon to a close. The draw for the goat raffle saw Leif Tarning of Carstairs the winner of the goat. All proceeds from the raffle to the Purple Cross Fund.

Seven suppers were delivered to those whom are remembered by the Royal Purple at Christmas.

Merry Christmas to all.

## Mount View Lodge news

by Annie Caush  
Special to the Review

Hi all! I'm sure everyone is busy getting ready for Christmas. Here at the Lodge we have had a busy week.

Last Tuesday, the Ladies Auxiliary came and put up decorations. It's really beautiful! If you're at the Lodge take note of the tree in the

sitting room near the front door. It has all hand-made decorations on it - mostly made by auxiliary members and residents. After they decorated we had the December birthday party. Mrs. Klatt played the piano while we sang carols and Grace Duff and Betty Jorsvick sang for us. Then the auxiliary members served us Christmas goodies for lunch.

Those celebrating December birthdays are Mrs. Dakin, Mrs. Fletch, Mrs. Robertson, Mrs. Watkins and Mr. Galthercole.

Besides the regular activities we have had a lot of groups coming - the Boy Scouts and Cubs, the Word of Life church, the Seventh Day Adventist church, the Catholic ladies and the Lodge staff for carols and lunch. Each one has

done something special. The Reed Ranch School children sang carols and gave each resident a hand-made Christmas card. Thanks to each and everyone of you. Our apologies if we missed naming your group.

Last Friday was our family Christmas banquet and all agree it was the best ever. Our thanks to staff and others for all the extra

work they did. It was truly a wonderful party - even Santa Claus found us and had a gift for each resident.

Our very best wishes for a joyous Christmas season to all our readers from all at Mount View Lodge.



# AGRICULTURE

## Cremona 4-H notes

by Jaime Lynn Geekie  
Special to the Review

On Saturday, December 11 the Cremona 4-H Club held its meeting at the Cremona Hall. At the meeting we decided to have club pins made to present buyers and supporters instead of hats. We also decided to have a bottle and battery drive on Saturday, January 8 to help pay for our pins and stall decorations. The bottle drive will

cover the Cremona School district. Brenda Odell at 637-2333 volunteered to be the contact person for the bottle drive. If someone wants to donate their bottles or batteries and won't be home on January 8, Brenda will arrange for them to be picked up.

To celebrate the Christmas season, the club will be out carolling in Cremona with the Congregational Church on December 17. We also participated in the Com-

munity Christmas Concert on Sunday, December 19 at 2:00 at the community hall.

The horse project is having their next meeting on January 14 at Skogen's at 7:00. They will be making saddle stands and buying a tack box for club supplies to be used at horse shows like 4-H On Parade.

The Craft Project is planning a field trip on December 31 to the fabric shops in Calgary to choose

material for their winter decorator baskets. Another project that the members are currently working on is a spring quilting project.

The next meeting of the Craft Project will be January 11 at 3:00 at the Horbay's.

Our congratulations to Tessa Lerbekmo for being the lucky winner of the Ginger Bread House which was raffled at Winterfest. The house was made by members of our Craft Project.

The next club meeting will be held on January 15 at the community hall at 1:00.

On January 31, we will be going on a club tour to XL Beef. Afterwards we will be going to the IMAX Theatre in the Eau Claire Market in Calgary.

The Cremona 4-H Club wishes everyone a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

## Olds Auction Market report

Report for week ending Tuesday, Dec. 14, 1993. 2,136 cattle, 380 hogs.

### BUTCHER CATTLE:

A1-2 Steers 82 to 88; A1-2 Heifers 81 to 87.

C1 Heiferettes 70 to 80; Feeder cows 59 to 67.

D1-2 Cows 57 to 61; D3-5 Cows 52 to 56; D4 Overfat Cows 49 to 54.

Bologna bulls 71 to 81; Bulls 900 lbs. + 78 to 90.

### REPLACEMENT CATTLE:

250 - 380 lb. Steers 1.40 to 1.69; Heifers 1.30 to 1.52.

400 lb. Steers 1.35 to 1.66; Heifers 1.25 to 1.46.

500 lb. Steers 1.20 to 1.46; Heifers 1.18 to 1.34.

600 lb. Steers 1.17 to 1.33; Heifers 1.15 to 1.25.

700 lb. Steers 1.10 to 1.22; Heifers 1.10 to 1.20.

800 lb. Steers 1.02 to 1.17; Heifers 1.03 to 1.15.

900 lb. Steers .97 to 1.09; Heifers .97 to 1.08.

1,000 lb. Steers .95 to 1.04; Heifers .94 to 1.04.

Bred cows 800 to 1,385; Bred heifers 890 to 1,340.

Cow/calf pairs 1,100 to 1,380.

### DAIRY BARN:

Baby bull calves 130 to 275

with larger calves 300 to 450.

Baby heifer calves 110 to 230 with larger calves 250 to 410.

Dairy cows 680 to 920.

### HOG DIVISION:

Weiner pigs 30 to 52.

Small feeders 55 to 70; Larger feeders 75 to 95.

Sows & Gilts 120 to 200; Boars 75 to 120.

### SHEEP & GOATS:

Ewes 47.80; Feeder lambs 60; Nannies 77.50; Billies 85.

### FEED:

Hay 1.40 to 2.60; Large round bales 25 to 35; Straw .40 to .75.

## Public input wanted for ag department

Agriculture and food industry stakeholders are invited to attend public meetings to provide input about Alberta Agriculture, Food and Rural Development's future role.

"During the meetings, participants will be asked to discuss their ideas for the future direction of the department and suggest how they would like to see resources allocated," said Walter Paszkowski, the department's minister.

After brief presentations by government and Agriculture and Food Council representatives, participants will spend about three hours in group discussions. Paszkowski will be at each meeting to listen to the discussions and to close the meeting.

The Standing Policy Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development will host the three public meetings.

"These meetings demonstrate the Government of Alberta's commitment to listening to grass roots

input," said Barry McFarland, the committee chair. "We look forward to discussions with stakeholders and hearing their ideas about the future of Alberta's agricultural industry."

Public consultation isn't new to the provincial agriculture department. In 1992, at Creating Tomorrow meetings, the agriculture and food industry confirmed its vision and goals for the future. In May 1993, the government responded with a draft white paper, "Breaking New Ground". The latest consultations will help the department develop a business plan.

Location and dates are: Grande Prairie, Grande Prairie Motor Inn, November 29; Lacombe, Memorial Centre, December 1; and Vauxhall, Community Hall, December 2. All meetings start at 1 p.m. and run to 4:30 p.m.

Participants should confirm their attendance at any of the three meetings by calling 427-2417 or faxing 427-3005.

## Innisfail Auction Market report

Market report for Monday, Dec. 13, 477 head, Wed., Dec. 15, 899 head; Total 1,376 head.

Steer calves 250 - 350 lb. average 1.40 - 1.60 per lb.

Steer calves 300 - 400 lb. average 1.40 - 1.60 per lb.

Steer calves 400 - 500 lb. average 1.45 - 1.50 per lb.

Steer calves 500 - 600 lb. average 1.30 - 1.45 per lb.

Steer calves 600 - 700 lb. average 1.20 - 1.30 per lb.

Steer calves 700 - 800 lb. average 1.10 - 1.20 per lb.

Heifer calves 230 - 330 lb. average 1.30 - 1.63 per lb.

Heifer calves 400 - 500 lb. average 1.20 - 1.40 per lb.

Heifer calves 500 - 600 lb. average 1.18 - 1.35 per lb.

Yearling steers 700 - 750 lb. average 1.10 - 1.21 per lb.

Yearling steers 800 - 850 lb. average 1.10 - 1.15 per lb.

Yearling steers 900 - 950 lb.

average 1.05 - 1.16 per lb.

Yearling steers 950 - 1,010 lb. average 1.00 - 1.05 per lb.

Yearling heifers 700 - 800 lb. average 1.06 - 1.16 per lb.

Feeder cows .60 - .80 per lb.

Exotic cows (over 1,400 lbs.) .60 - .68 per lb.

Medium cows .54 - .60 per lb.

Bulls .70 - .80 per lb.

Bred cows \$950 - \$1,400 per head.

Bred heifers \$1,050 - \$1,350.

## West Didsbury 4-H notes

Special to the Review

Our December 6 meeting was held at the Melvin Hall. For our Christmas party we went bowling in Olds on December 20th. Our Bottle and Battery Drive will be held on January 8th.

The Light Horse Club discussed equine definitions and set dates of

January 14th and 28th for riding practice at the Pavilion in Olds. Unfortunately we did not have any practice rides during December, however, during our rides in November we practiced a trot, posting trot and lope.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to all



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## BUSINESS

### Liquor store promises similar service

by Janice Harrington  
Review Editor

Didsbury residents can expect similar, if slightly enhanced service now that the local liquor store has become a private operation.

Zdenek Kriz, who owns the F.F. Liquor Store along with son Radek, has plans to follow closely along the lines of operation of the provincially owned store.

"We will try to operate as closely as it was before," Kriz said. "We will have similar hours and similar product lines."

But for Kriz, the hours and products are where the similarities will end. A former Czechoslovakian who immigrated to Canada in 1969, Kriz said he and his family plan to bring a personal touch to their new business.

"We find Didsbury to be a very charming little town," he said. "The people here are very open. It is a good business opportunity for a family and we hope to bring the something back to the community."

Part of what they hope to bring to the community fits into their plans for enhanced service at their new store. Kriz, who was in real estate and investment in Calgary

before opening the store, said he plans to install beer coolers sometime this spring and hopes to include soft drink sales.

"Eventually we will enlarge the stock once we get a better idea what it is the public wants. I am still working on a marketing plan regarding other ideas."

In the meantime, Kriz said he is working diligently to make the store successful in the midst of government red tape which includes a surprise price increase in stock and switched stock ordering days.

"We were told in November that the government would give us a 6 percent margin from their retail prices but now that is gone," he said. "They have set up prices equal to what they are selling at government stores. I don't know what to project for the future, but we still feel lucky and happy to be here. People are still friendly, despite the price increase and that is much better than the city."

While Kriz and his family still reside in Calgary, they plan to move to Didsbury in the New Year. Besides bringing his family and business to town, Kriz said he is also interested in sharing his talents. A classically trained violinist with

degrees in performing arts and education, Kriz said he hopes to find a community group interested in or-

ganizing concerts.

"I have been playing music all my life. It would be a nice opportu-

nity if I could get involved in something here in the community.



#### Family affair

Zdenek and Radek Kriz have taken over a provincial operation and turned it into a family business with the opening of their new liquor store. Located in the old provincial liquor store building, the store plans to offer similar services and products to Didsbury customers.

### College helps students increase entrance standings

#### Special to the Review

Want to improve your chances of getting accepted into college, university or technical school?

Raising your grades in Biology, Chemistry, Math or English 30 courses is easier than you might think with help from Olds College's Extension Services Department. Beginning next month in both Olds and Airdrie, a series of courses will be made available to anyone interested in improving their entrance standings on diploma prerequisites necessary on most post-secondary applications.

The Alberta Education Diploma Exams Preparation Seminars are being held at two locations: Olds College and Bert Church High School in Airdrie. The seminars run in Olds on Saturdays, January 8, 15, and 22 from 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 noon and 1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Seminars in Airdrie also run Saturdays, January 8, 15 and 22 for six hours each day and on January 3 - 20 from 7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. each evening.

An intensive overview detailing vital elements to each subject is presented to the learner using the A-Peer Tutoring Incorporated system. "This is a highly respected program that has been used with great success by numerous institutions in the past to better ready students for their diploma exams," said Academic Upgrading Instructor Garry Wright.

Wright, who is helping coordinate the seminars at the Airdrie location, says the study and review seminars are a natural extension to the work already being performed at Olds College. Academic upgrading, for example, offers a wide range of courses to prepare students for further skill training programs, technical institutes, colleges and universities. In addition, there is also a college qualifying program for students who have applied for admission to a particular Olds College program, but lack some of the entrance requirements.

This most recent series of seminars preparing students for advanced standings on diploma exams, however, is the first of its kind being offered through Olds College. "The preparation seminars are great for mature students who have been out of school for a long period of time and are apprehensive about both writing their diploma exam and returning to school," said Wright. "Having the opportunity to work through some of the information you could be dealing with either on a diploma exam, or later - once enrolled in a

specialized program - gives you the extra confidence you need to succeed."

The seminars are open to anyone, however Wright does stress enrolment is limited to 15 students per session. Registrations for all Airdrie-based seminars are being accepted at the Bert Church High

School in Airdrie on December 15, 16 and January 6 from 7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Registrations for the Olds College classes are being accepted by phone to the Extension Services Department at (403) 556-8344 between 8:30 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. until January 7.

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# RELIGION

## The Way of Life

by Dr. Ken Jordan  
Knox United Church

The third Sunday in Advent is sometimes called "rejoice" Sunday. It is a time to think about joy and rejoicing - an important theme for us as we look forward to Christmas. Sometimes, however, we have a tendency to mistake fun for joy.

When the famous Russian writer Maxim Gorky visited the U.S. many years ago he was taken to Coney

Island to be "shown the time of his life." He was taken to every attraction offered by the carnival and then asked how he liked it. He thought a moment and then replied, "What a sad people you must be."

Gorky touched a raw nerve then which remains with us still. We seem to need more and more external diversions because we have fewer and fewer internal resources. The result is that we settle for "fun"

rather than experiencing real joy. That is not to say that we should not have fun but fun does not take us far enough. As Mark Twain said when he broke his leg, "I am having fun, but of a MILD sort!"

To experience joy is to be touched to the depths of our souls. Each of us will have had experiences that have given us great joy. They may be as varied as experiencing the beauty of a star filled night, seeing our first born child for

the first time, the joy of eating a meal when we are very hungry or the thrill of being with people we love and care about. Whatever the experience may be it is of a special quality.

Jesus talked a lot about joy and rejoicing. It was a prevailing theme in many of the parables he told. The father of the prodigal son insisted the rest of his family should rejoice and celebrate when his son returned. The widow who found

the lost coin was delighted and rejoiced at her good fortune. The shepherd rejoiced at finding the lost sheep. The story of Jesus' birth is also put into the context of joy and rejoicing. "Rejoice, the Lord has come!"

May this Christmas season be a time for doing "fun things," but may it also be a time of deep and abiding joy for one and all. Shalom! God be with you.

## Obituary

### WEIDNER

Esther Elizabeth Weidner of Didsbury, Alberta passed away at the Mountain View Health Care Centre on December 17, 1993 at the age of 98 years.

She is survived by daughter Lila Krebs (Allen), grandchildren Jim, Marilyn, Hal and families, special daughter-in-law Beatrice Weidner and granddaughter Arlene and family. She had eight great-grandchildren, and numerous nieces and nephews. She is also survived by sisters Geraldine Scott and Edith Bishop (Bill) and families, and one brother, Clifford Murphy (Angeline) and families. Esther was predeceased by her husband, John Weidner (1958); four sisters, Mar-

guerite, Averil, Doris, and Mildred; by son Bill Weidner (1987) and by grandson, Gary Weidner (1965).

Esther was born in Gardiner, Kansas on July 27, 1895 and came to Westcott (Little Kansas) in April, 1900 with her parents, Thomas and Phoebe Murphy and two sisters. She had many gifts, notably music and sewing and knew the value of hard work and honesty.

Funeral services will be held on Wednesday, Dec. 22 at 1 p.m. in

the Didsbury Knox United Church, with Rev. Dr. Ken Jordan officiating. Interment will follow at the Westcott Cemetery. Friends and family are invited to meet for lunch at the Westcott Community Center following the burial. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to the Mountain View Health Care Centre (Long Term Care). Mountain View Funeral Chapels entrusted with arrangements.



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& Youth Bible Study  
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WEDNESDAY: (Alternate) 9:15 a.m.  
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FRIDAY: 7:00 p.m. Youth Night  
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### St. Agnes Carstairs

Father Ignatius Tran  
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2nd & 4th Sundays: 11:00 a.m.  
Saturday Evening Mass: 7:30 p.m.

### St. Anthony's Catholic

2030 - 24 Ave., Didsbury  
Phone 556-3084

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Otherwise Saturdays at 7:00 p.m.

### St. Frances Xavier

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2nd & 4th Sundays: 9:00 a.m.

### St. Stephen's Catholic

4302 - 57 Ave., Olds  
Father Vic Perron  
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Sunday 11 a.m.

### Carstairs Church of God

Carstairs, Phone: 337-3045  
Corner of 10th Avenue & Grey Street  
Pastors: Bev & Evan Baum  
Sunday School: 9:45 a.m.  
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Morning Worship: 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service: 7 p.m.

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### Zion Evangelical

2025 - 20 Avenue, Didsbury  
Pastor: Richard Pidal  
Phone: 335-3506 (Church)  
335-3103 (Home)

#### SUNDAY SERVICES:

Pre-Service Singing: 10:45 a.m.  
Worship Service: 11:00 a.m.  
Family Night: 6:00 p.m.  
Wednesday: Bible Studies 7:00 p.m.

### Carstairs

#### Bethel Evangelical

Pastor: Ralph Rau  
Church, Ph. 337-2355 Res. Phone 337-2198

#### Sunday Services:

Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship: 11 a.m.  
Evening Fellowship Hour: 7:30 p.m.

### Faith Lutheran

205 - 11th St. N.E.: Box 1078, Sundre  
Church - Phone 638-3669  
Worship Service - 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday School - 11:15 a.m.  
Rev. A.V. Granberg - Phone 638-4174

### Redeemer Lutheran

#### LUTHERAN CHURCH - CANADA

Rev. Eric Betsch  
Parsonage, Phone: 335-3656  
Church, Phone: 335-3161  
Education Hour: 9:30 a.m.  
Worship: 10:30 a.m.

### St. Paul Evangelical

#### Lutheran Church

#### Wisconsin Synod

Carstairs Community Hall - 1100 Lackner Way  
Bible Study & Sunday School: 9:30 a.m.  
Sunday Worship: 10:30 a.m.  
337-3498

### St. Paul's

#### Evangelical Lutheran

#### Church of Canada

5022 - 52 St., Olds; Ph. 556-8811  
Rev. Reinhold Holmström  
Sunday Worship & Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Holy Communion 1st & 3rd Sundays

### Cremona Missionary

Pastor: Steve Budd  
Church, Phone: 637-3878 Res. Ph. 637-3848  
Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Service: 11:00 a.m.

### Didsbury Evangelical

#### Missionary

2022 - 21 Avenue, Phone 335-3629  
Pastors: Norm Zimmerman  
Sunday School - 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship - 10:50 a.m.  
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### May City Evangelical

#### Missionary

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Sunday School 10 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11 a.m.  
Evening Worship 7 p.m.

### Mountain View Missionary

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Pastor John Lucas 335-8923  
Sunday School: 10 a.m.  
Worship Service: 11 a.m.

### Olds Community

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Church 556-6227; Pastor's res. 556-6649  
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Worship Service: 11 a.m.

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Worship: 11:00 a.m.

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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service 6:00 p.m.

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10:00 a.m. - Pre-service Prayer  
10:30 a.m. - Morning Service &  
Children's Church  
6:00 p.m. - Central Alberta Regional  
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### Cremona Congregational

Minister Frank Cummins  
Church 637-3768  
Church & Sunday School: 10:00 a.m.

### The United Church of

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Rev. M. Bruce McIntyre, B.A., M.Div.  
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Manse, Phone: 337-3019  
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Carstairs United Church: 9:45 a.m.  
Bancroft United Church:  
2nd & 4th Sunday: 11:30 a.m.

### Cremona United

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Church Office 637-2200; Home 556-2337

### Knox United Didsbury

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### Olds United

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Church Phone 556-3052  
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Rev. David Sutherland  
Church Office - Phone 638-4428  
Manse - Phone 638-3783  
Morning Service 10 a.m.





# OBITUARIES

## GRACE

Earl was born on Thanksgiving Day, November 24, 1904 at Tilden, Nebraska. He was the fifth child of Isaac and Luella Grace. He attended school in Tilden where he was an honor student. He wrote the Grade 8 exam when he was in the 7th grade and passed it with higher marks than the 8th graders did.

He loved school and reading. His interests were also sports and carpentry. He came to Canada on August 26, 1926. He became a Canadian citizen in January 1940.

Carpentry was to be his life long trade. Many of the buildings built in the late 1920's and early '30's

still stand solid and in use today, such as the Inverness and Westward-Ho schools. When Earl built something it stayed built. The last building he helped with was his grandson Donald's trailer steps in 1991.

Earl loved to play ball and curl as well as watching these games on T.V. along with football, hockey and golf.

Earl played ball for the Elkton team in the Rosebud league, along with six Lufts and two Befuses, they had no spares. They were league champions in 1932. He played and coached ball until he was 58-years-old and could still

get a hit when no one else could.

Earl then took up curling. He curled in Sundre, Eagle Hill Co-op and Cremona in regular leagues. He took in many bonspiels bringing home many trophies. One spiel in Nelson B.C. in July 1964 and one in Kelowna, which he attended with fellow seniors from Cremona, his team totalled more than 300 years in total age. Before his sudden illness, he was looking forward to curling again this winter. Earl spent four years as lookout man on Keystone Forestry Tower, a job in which he thoroughly enjoyed.

Earl and Ida were married 57 years on July 8th. They spent their

entire married life on the place he bought in 1933 and there was no place he would rather have been.

They had three children: Duane (JoAnn), Erlene (Walter), Norris (Norma), eight grandchildren and five great grandchildren: Betty (George) and their children, Steve and Terri, Carol (Paul), Dorothy, Donald (Barb) and their child Cynthia, Annette, Cheryl (Mark) and their children Meagan and Jordan, Nancy (Gary) and Susie. He is survived by his brother Robert (Rita), his sister-in-law Pat Grade of England as well as numerous nieces and nephews from Canada and the U.S.A.

Earl had met all of his nieces and nephews far and wide, as well as many of his great and great, great nieces and nephews. He enjoyed every day he lived with his family and friends and will be sadly missed by all.

Funeral services were held on Monday, December 20, 1993 at 2 p.m. from the Sundre United Church with Reverend Ted Power officiating. Active pallbearers were Don Reeves, George Whitlow, Alton Gano, Duncan McFarquhar, Jim Wigg and Doug Rodgers. Honorary pallbearers were Lionel and Elma Bird, Alan and Lita Reid, Leon and Hazel Robertson, Vair and Catherine Reid, Don and Lila Haley, Ed and Vi Hengen, as well as Earl's fellow curlers, neighbors and friends.

Interment was held at 11:30 a.m. at the Bergen Cemetery. If friends desire, memorials may be given to S.T.A.R.S. Air Ambulance, 1441 Aviation Park N.E., Box 570, Calgary, Alberta T2E 8M7 or the Sundre Ambulance, Sundre, Alberta T0M 1X0.

Mountain View Funeral Chapels, entrusted with arrangements.

## PRATT

Walter Ernest Pratt passed away December 15, 1993 at the age of 90 years. He is survived by his wife Mary, his daughters Elaine (Jack) and Carol (Glenn), stepson Wayne (Mary), six grandchildren and nine great grandchildren, his brother David Pratt, his sisters Isobel Gale and Edith Carter of Calgary.

Walter was predeceased by his first wife Frances in 1955, son Donald in 1983, brothers Tom, Charlie and sister Florence.

Walter was born in Toronto on April 8, 1903. He moved with the family to Acme in 1913. The family farm was established east of Didsbury in 1918. Walter was edu-

cated at Grand Centre school. He built his own home on a 3/4 section adjacent to the family farm and resided there until August, 1984 then moved to Didsbury. Walter loved horses, was an avid curler and horseshoe player.

Funeral services were held Monday, December 20, 1993 at St. Cyprian's Anglican Church, Didsbury with Reverend John Orman officiating. Active pallbearers were Jeffrey Shantz, Jason Shantz, Arthur Buckler, Leslie Buckler, Jim Brosh and Bruce Snyder. Honorary pallbearers were Emil Miller, Eugene Durrer, Alex Shaw, Frank Durrer and brother and best friend David Pratt. Interment followed at

the Didsbury Cemetery.

If friends desire, memorial donations may be given to the S.T.A.R.S. Air Ambulance, 1441 Aviation Park N.E., Box 570, Calgary, Alberta T2E 8M7 or the charity of one's choice.

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## Grandma Baril's Magic Christmas Fudge

- 5 cups sugar
- 1 cup butter
- 1 cup evaporated milk
- 1 cup 2 percent milk
- 1 cup corn syrup
- 1 pkg. 250 g. marshmallows
- ½ tsp maple flavoring

Use dutch oven. Heat until all melted (med. heat). Stir until candy thermometer reaches 238-240 C. Takes about 45 minutes. Add flavoring. Let cool 10-15 minutes. Stir until creamy Put in large buttered pan.



*Welcome to the Review's special section designed to help you enjoy the holidays to their fullest. Find great ideas for entertaining in style and for purchasing those special gifts.*

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## A New Year's Eve celebration with an interesting twist

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So before your friends and loved ones retreat to their homes, treat them to a unique New Year's Eve celebration they will not soon forget. Instead of serving the usual hors d'oeuvres and champagne seen year after year at New Year's bashes, try a different approach.

Why not protest the onset of winter by having a summertime/tropical party? There are no rules when it comes to New Year's party themes. Have everyone wear Hawaiian shirts, leis and sunglasses. Decorate with paper palm trees, a giant paper sun and other colorful decorations of all kinds...the possibilities are endless.

Serve tropical drinks and foods that fit the theme (seafood is perfect). Following are two seafood recipe ideas reproduced from *Cook it Light* by Jeanne Jones (Macmillan).

### CRAB QUICHE

- 1/2 medium onion, finely chopped (1/4 cup)
- 2 cups crabmeat, flaked
- 1/2 pound Cheddar cheese, grated

- (2 cups)
- 3 eggs, lightly beaten
- 1 12-ounce can skimmed evaporated milk
- 1/2 teaspoon salt

Cook the onions, covered, over very low heat until soft, adding a little water if necessary to prevent scorching.

Line the bottom of a 9-inch pie pan with the crabmeat. Sprinkle the cooked onions over the crabmeat. Sprinkle the grated cheese over the top of the mixture.

Combine the eggs, milk, and salt and mix well. Pour over the other ingredients.

Bake in a preheated 350°F oven for 1 hour. Allow to stand for at least 10 minutes before cutting into eight pie-shaped wedges.

Makes 8 servings.

### SALMON MOUSSE

- 1 leek, green part only, cut into very thin strips
- 1 cup part-skim ricotta cheese
- 3 tablespoons plain nonfat yogurt
- 1/2 pound salmon, without bones
- 1/2 pound bass, without bones
- 2 eggs
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper
- 1/4 Corn-oil margarine

- 2 tablespoons raspberry vinegar
- 1 shallot, finely chopped (1 tablespoon)
- 1 cup clam juice
- 6 raspberries for garnish (optional)

Cook the leek in boiling water until limp. Drain and put in a bowl of ice water. Drain and set aside.

Combine the ricotta cheese and yogurt in a food processor with a metal blade. Blend until satiny-smooth. Add the fish to the ricotta cheese mixture in the food processor along with the eggs, salt, and pepper and blend until satiny smooth.

Coat six 3-inch ramekins with the margarine. Fill each ramekin up to 3/4 inch from the top. Set the ramekins in a baking dish filled with hot water to a depth of 1/4 inch. Place the dish with the ramekins in a preheated 350°F oven for 20 minutes.

While the mousse is baking, combine the raspberry vinegar and shallot in a small saucepan. Bring to a boil and reduce completely. Add the clam juice or fish stock and reduce by half.

Remove the ramekins from the oven. Drain each mousse by turning it upside down on a paper towel to remove any melted margarine, then put back in the ramekin.

To serve, unmold the mousse on salad plates. Bring the sauce back to a boil, then remove from the heat. Add 1 tablespoon margarine and shake the pan until the margarine has melted completely. Spoon 1 tablespoon of the sauce over the top of each mousse. To garnish, surround each mousse with strips of leek, which will look like seaweed. If you wish, place a raspberry on top of each mousse.

Makes 6 servings.

For a real taste of the tropics, the

following exotic drink recipes are excerpted from the *Tropical Bar Book* by Charles Schumann (Stewart, Tabori & Chang). The Piña Colada is an all-time favorite, and the Flying Kangaroo is a variation of it...with a twist (and an interesting name, too). For those New Year's Eve designated drivers and those who just prefer not to drink, Coconut Lips is a delicious, non-alcoholic treat.

### PIÑA COLADA (ORIGINAL VERSION)

- 1 scoop crushed ice
- 1/4 oz. sweet cream
- 1/4 oz. coconut cream
- 2 oz. pineapple juice
- 2 oz. white rum

Mix in a shaker or blender. Serve in a highball glass.

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- Look for toys with big, bright, chunky buttons.
- Consider a toy that talks; infants love friendly talking voices, animal sounds and musical melodies.
- Look for toys that both entertain and teach; kids love to discover new things.
- Select rugged toys with built-in handles that toddlers can carry around for on-the-go fun.
- When choosing an electronic toy, check for an auto power-off function to conserve batteries.

Following are a few sugges-

tions from VTECH's new Little Smart infant/toddler lineup. And great news - they all retail for \$20 or under.

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Infants and toddlers will have all "sorts" of fun when they press large colorful shapes, animal buttons and musical keys on *Little Smart Baby Shapes 'n Things* to

make a cow go "mooooo" or the horse say "neigh." And kids will chat up a storm on the *Little Smart Baby Bear Phone*, a bear-shaped phone that allows children to "call" four fun animals, learn numbers, play music and spin a melody ball to hear a variety of nursery rhymes.

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210 - Help Wanted  
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230 - Services Available

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300 - Homes  
310 - Mobile Homes  
320 - Property  
330 - For Rent  
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## 400's VEHICLES

400 - Cars  
410 - Trucks  
420 - Vans  
430 - Motorcycles  
440 - RV's

## 500's GENERAL

500 - Misc. For Sale  
510 - Misc. Wanted  
520 - Garage Sales  
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550 - Travel

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### 620 - COMING EVENTS

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### 630 - CARDS OF THANKS

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Thank you so much to Dr. Benton, Dr. Ahmad, Dr. Williams and Dr. Qureshi at Mountain View Health Care Centre. Thanks to Phil and Joe for their kindness and encouragement and for Luke's Teddy during our ambulance ride. Thanks to Dr. Seagram, Dr. Goresky, Dr. Beck, Dr. Jadavi, Dr. Parsons and Dr. Aitken at Children's Hospital. Also thank you to the nurses at both Didsbury and Calgary for such excellent care. A special thanks to Marilyn for your listening ear and words of encouragement. We thank our neighbors and friends for the many phone calls, meals, gifts and cards for Luke and most of all we thank you for your prayers over the past month. 36-1tp

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### 640 - IN MEMORIAMs

In loving memory of Gwen Bird, who passed away December 23, 1992.

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When she writes her famous lines  
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For our dear one we still pine."  
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### 640 - IN MEMORIAMs

Nelson - In loving memory of my dear husband, Teddy Ross who passed away December 23rd, 1992.

"There is a bridge of memories,  
From here to heaven above  
That keeps you very close to me,  
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And days are now a year,  
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And a thousand silent tears.  
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What more is there to say,  
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To bring you to my mind,  
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That lies within my heart.  
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I'd give it all and more,  
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### PRECIPITATION:

For Week:

Actual.....0.5mm

Normal.....3.3mm

Since April 1 (April through October).

Actual.....425.1mm

Normal.....418.0mm

### TEMPERATURE:

Maximum high 6C on Dec. 13, 1993.

Minimum low -14C on Dec. 17, 1993.

Average for week -4C.

Normal average temperature for week -9C.

Wednesday: Cloudy periods. Low near minus 8. High near plus 2.

Thursday and Friday: Mostly cloudy and windy. Low near minus 5. High near plus 4.

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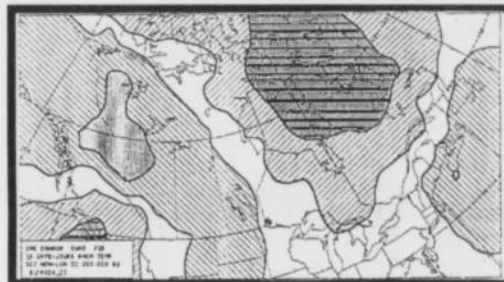


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- ABOVE NORMAL
- NORMAL
- BELOW NORMAL
- MUCH BELOW NORMAL

## NOTICES, EMPLOY. & LEGAL

### County of Mountain View No. 17 PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION OPERATING ASSISTANCE GRANT

Applications for funds for 1994 under the "Public Transportation Operating Assistance Grant" will be received by the County of Mountain View No. 17 until February 1st, 1994.

Guidelines that must be met in order to qualify are:

- Grants from the County of Mountain View shall be distributed as equitably as possible throughout and be of benefit to the rural area senior citizens of the County.
- Grants will be considered from recognized established groups and organizations from the County for operating expenditures and travel excursions for senior citizens.
- Applications shall be in writing, giving details of the proposed project or travel plan complete with budgets for a calendar year.
- Maximum grant allowable to any group or organization in any one year is not to exceed \$3,000.00 or \$150.00 per participant per year.
- All grant funds paid to group and/or organizations shall be expended for the specific purpose as outlined in the original application and shall not be pledged or donated to another purpose.
- All applications for grants must be in the County Office by February 1st of any year.

It is expected that groups from a common jurisdiction will make joint applications for these funds.

## NOTICES, EMPLOYMENT & LEGAL

### RECREATION OFFICE HOLIDAY HOURS

The Didsbury Recreation Office will be closed from December 24 to January 3 inclusive. Any inquiries can be directed to the Aquatic Centre front desk.

### NOTICE CHRISTMAS TREE PICK UP

On January 6, 1994 CHRISTMAS TREES will be picked up by the Public Works Department. Please have all trees placed at your usual spot of garbage pickup.

Town employees are NOT permitted to enter private property and all Christmas trees will be picked up only on January 6, 1994.

### Town of Didsbury NOTICE

The following Development Applications pursuant to By-Law No. 86-2, have been approved:

#52-93 27-3-8011146  
33 Southridge Crescent  
Residence addition

The Planning Act, 1980 provides that any person may appeal the above decisions within fourteen days of the date the decision is advertised, by filing an appeal in writing against the decision with the Didsbury Development Appeal Board.

Please contact the undersigned for further information or clarification. (335-3391)

**E. Michael Storey**  
Chief Administrative Officer



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Merry Christmas & a Happy New Year.

Garnet Whalen



# SPORTS

## and Entertainment

### Ramblers lose two over weekend

#### Special to the Review

Despite the closeness of the Christmas holiday neither the Innisfail Eagles or the Millet Thunder were giving away any gifts this past weekend as both teams defeated the Didsbury Ramblers.

This is the first time the Ramblers have lost 2 games in a row this season. It started Friday night at Innisfail when the home town Eagles skated away with a 6-5 win over the Ramblers. The Didsbury goals were scored by McGuire (2),

Dallas (1), Frenette (1) and Smith (1). The game, which could have gone either way, saw the Innisfail Eagles scoring a power play goal at 17:34 of the 3rd period to take a 6-5 lead and seal off the victory.

Sunday saw the Millet Thunder travelling to Didsbury to steal the second game of the weekend from the Ramblers with a 12-7 victory. It was a very poorly played defensive game with the Ramblers missing 4 of their starting 6 defensemen. They just couldn't stop the Millet attack. Scoring for Didsbury were: Wade

Smith 2 goals, 2 assists, Darcy McGuire 1 goal, 1 assist, Scott Fisher, Brent Youngs, Derek Howatt 1 goal and 1 assist each,

Jason Krebs 1 goal and Darren Dallas 2 assists.

The Ramblers don't play again until the New Year, so until then

Merry Christmas and have a safe and happy new year.

## Grizzlys go 2 for 3 but aren't happy

by Don E. Owchar  
Review writer

The Meatloaf song says 2 out of 3 ain't bad, but don't tell that to the Olds Grizzlys. They were rolling along on an 8 game winning streak but then a not so funny thing happened enroute to #9. They lost 3-2 to Fort MacMurray. However, they were able to rebound with an 11-5 thumping of Bonnyville and a 6-2 decision over the Royals, upping their record to 29-2-2.

Fort Mac 3 - Olds 2 (Shootout)...This one turned out to be a long bus ride for nothing as the Griz lost for the 2nd time in 11 games. Kevin Felix and Ross Harris scored for the Oil Barons in the 1st, Miro Skovira and Chad Nelson replied for the Griz in the 2nd. Olds outshot the Fort 10-6 in a scoreless 3rd to set up overtime. Neither team scored, setting the stage for a shootout that saw all 4 Grizzly shooters miss while Harris and Terrance Oliver beat Ian Perkins to give the Oil Barons their first win over Olds this season.

Olds 11 - Bonnyville 5...The Griz were a little owl entering their game the next night (Dec. 11) in Bonnyville and showed it by racing out to a 4-1 first period lead. Sheptak, Tatar, Erdman and Graham scored for Olds, Cabana replied for the Pontiacs. The Griz kept it up in the 2nd extending their lead to 8-3 on goals by Ginther, Tatar and Graham with their 2nd, and Nelson, Zarowny and Ekroth for the Pontiacs. The third was a little closer, the Griz winning it 3-2. Murphy, Skovira and MacPhee

for Olds, Zarowny with his 2nd and Baumbach for BV. Ian Perkins had the night off; Ryan Ayley kicked out 25 shots for the win.

Olds 6 - Royals 2...The Royals rolled into Olds on the 14th, looking to snap both their own 5 game losing skid against the Griz, and the Olds 15 game winning streak at home. After a very entertaining, hard hitting first period, the Royals actually looked like they had a chance but 2nd period goals by Awe and Kirkpatrick gave the Griz a lead they never gave up. Masters, Graham and Erdman made it 5-2 before Ruban and Sterling made it close. 5-2 was a close as they'd get, however, as John Pouzar scored late to finish off the 6-2 victory.

Griz Notes...Pouzar and Marek Tatar played perhaps their best games of the season in the win over the Royals. Pouzar had tons of chances and was hitting every blue jersey in site, Tatar didn't get any points but was all over the place and even got into a fight!...The latest CAJHL standings show the Griz have dropped into 2nd overall, percentage points behind Orillia (.917-.906). There's still no-one from the AJHL in the top 15 scoring, but former Griz Chad Dillabough is tied for 15th...It took a while but Ian Perkins was finally officially named AJHL Panasonic player of the month for November. The Griz goalie won 8 of 10 games, had 2 shutouts and a 2.13 goals against average...and finally, the Griz finish December with 2 home games, the 27th against the Czech 18 and under Selects and the 30th against the Canucks.



#### Ahead of schedule

Because of the warm weather this season, construction on the new curling rink at the sports complex is estimated to be about 1 month ahead of schedule. Bill Chancey of Grinnell Fire Protection works away on the upper level of the rink which features 4 sheets of curling ice, a kitchen, bar area, meeting rooms and locker/shower areas for curlers. The rink is expected to be fully completed by early spring 1994.



## SPORTS



**Darcy Stetz**  
position - defence  
age - 23  
height - 5'10"  
weight - 180lbs  
This is Stetz's first  
year with the Ramblers



## Ramblers' next home game:

Sunday, January 9, 1994

1:30 pm

Memorial Complex Arena

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Hockey and figure skating

**Darcy McGuire**  
position - forward  
age - 23  
height - 5'9"  
weight - 175lbs  
This is McGuire's  
second year with the  
Ramblers



## Albertan's catch bird count fever

## Special to the Review

Warning, a new disease known as Bird Fever has struck the province of Alberta. The symptoms, though seldom fatal, may be induced by birdwatching. They include a habit of staring into trees and shrubs for hours, and an unusual level of excitability caused by proper bird identification. Warning...this disease is highly contagious. Those inflicted must contact their local birding or natural history club immediately...and sign up as participants in one of Alberta's 67 Christmas Bird Counts.

Alberta is known across North America for having some of the most popular Christmas Bird Counts and some of the most steadfast birders. Each participating community will choose one day, during the official count period of December 17 to January 3, to record birds in their area. Counts take place in circular areas (24 km in diameter) in which as many birds

as possible are tallied. The Christmas Bird Count is sponsored by the Audubon Society and the first 25 counts were held in 1900. It is the largest organized bird census in the world, with over 1,500 separate bird counts and over 40,000 participants in North America alone. These efforts have been important for bird conservation ever since that first count was established to keep tabs on decreasing bird numbers resulting from unregulated shooting.

Anyone can participate, or set up a bird count in their area. Last year, a record 2,131 Albertans participated in 67 counts, 14 more than the previous year. To participate, call your local natural history club or the Federation of Alberta Naturalists in Edmonton (ph. 453-8629) for the count closest to you. The only requirement is an eagerness to watch birds, and a willingness to coordinate your activities on count day with others who share your interest. You can either stay

indoors and count the birds at your feeder, or head into the bush with the "bush beaters" and count birds with new friends and old. There is always someone along who can identify birds, so if your birding skills are rusty or nonexistent, do not worry!

The Christmas Bird Count accommodates everyone. On count day, Albertans of all ages and abilities rise with the birds. You can count birds for as little as a half-hour, or as much as 24 hours straight. Many of the more dedicated birders try to beat local records for the most birds seen. However, very important contributions also come from feeder watchers who have made rare sightings and even new birding records.

Speaking of records, Alberta is world-famous for setting Christmas Bird Count records. Calgary holds the provincial record for the most species (70), while Edmonton holds the record for most par-

ticipants (1,150). The popular count at Fort McMurray holds the record for the most common ravens (620)!

There were many special sightings during the 1992 count which enhanced our knowledge of Alberta's winter birds. A cardinal, glowing ruby red in the sunlight, was observed at Fort Saskatchewan, a three-toed woodpecker graced the count in Medicine Hat and a hooded merganser dove under the talons of an eagle in Banff. Most waterfowl, raptors and finches were in especially low numbers last year. Finches were low because of recent poor cone crops in pine and spruce.

This year's count may produce increased numbers of finches because of a good cone and seed crop

and increased numbers of northern owl species and rough-legged hawks because of favorable breeding conditions and rebounding populations of small mammals in many areas. However, the wet and cool summer in southern Alberta may have negatively impacted many ground and prairie nesting species such as sharp-tailed grouse, horned lark and the once common short-eared owl. On the bright side, birders in High Level, the Owl Capital of Canada, and other counts in the far north (Fort Vermilion, Elleske Shrine, La Crete) hope to set world records for great gray and northern hawk owls. Christmas Bird Counts are helping uncover many mysteries of bird ecology in Alberta.

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## Fast Facts



- Rambler record going into the New Year stands at 9-6.

- Dallas and Youngs are still in 2 and 3rd spot in the scoring.

- New Year's Cabaret at Complex. Put on by the Ramblers. Tickets can be purchased from any player or at Mountain View Sports.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year from the Didsbury Ramblers.

The next meeting - Jan. 19 - is Membership night so bring a friend or friends interested in lodge and its work.

Reminder - Lodge dues must be paid by Jan. 31. Congratulations to P.H.R.L. Sue Pratt on winning an award at Red Deer College. Knew you could do it!

We extend seasons greetings to all - Merry Christmas and prosperous 1994.

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Frank Pavlick  
Canada's Sports Poet

## Royal Purple news

by Annie Pringle  
Special to the Review

On December 8, the Royal Purple celebrated their Christmas meeting with guests from Sundre and Acme. Merry Christmas to you and your lodges.

P.H.R.L. Helen Newton reported on the plans for the Family Christmas Party - Dec. 12 at 1:30 p.m. - were in place.

The Sunshine Committee has had another busy month - all the birthday ladies had been visited as well as Marg Malloch, Audrey Persinger and Joanna Gebers who had been ill. Hope all are well once again.

Loyal Lady Shirley Ahlgrim has plans made to hold the "Kids Bingo" on Feb. 19, 1994.

An invitation from Supreme Lodge was extended to all members to attend the dedication of our National Home of Elks and O.O.R.P. in Regina on Jan. 22/94. See H.R.L. Clark if you would like to attend.

An invitation came from Dave Patten to attend a "Drug Awareness Workshop" at Okotoks on Jan. 8 at 2 p.m.

A letter from Peace River lodge requesting a transfer into our lodge was received from Joan Armour. Welcome Joan - see you at our next meeting Jan. 19. Winners of the door prizes were Joan Hannah - clock; Jessie Newman - lodge spoon; Bernice Blois - Christmas bunny. The meeting was followed by an exchange of Christmas gifts and a delicious lunch.

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## SPORTS

## Christmas Czechs courtesy of the Grizzlys

by Elaine Wilson  
Review Writer

Four of the players on the Grizzly roster, notable for more than their established on-ice talents, are Mark Tatar, Miro Skovira, John Pouzar and John Dlouhy. Natives of the dual Czechoslovakian nations, they furnish a unique perspective of Canadian life.

Conversation with the Czech players can become cryptic when the dialogue strays from hockey terms, so Tatar's translations on behalf of the other three players were augmented by explanations by coach Stewart and host 'parents'. The results were both interesting and enlightening.

The initial question, 'What would you like for Christmas?', innocuous by Canadian standards, evoked looks of surprise from the four. Slovaks treat gift-giving as a courtesy, accepting presents with appreciation without requests for specific items. Small children are excused such a blatant lapse in etiquette, but it was obvious the players were somewhat taken aback that an adult would begin with such a shocking display of poor manners.

Forgiving the unintentional error, the players settled back and agreeably resumed the interview.

A question about food evolved into a commercial for McDonalds.

'What is our favorite Canadian food?' Tatar relayed to the others with a grin. Four voices sang out in unison: 'hamburgers!'

'They'd eat hamburgers for breakfast lunch and dinner if they could,' Grizzly coach Chris Stewart asserted.

Tatar and Skovira stay with Dan and Audrey Wourms and Dlouhy and Pouzar are billeted with George and Darlene Munchinsky in Olds. Both host families say Stewart's favorite food assessment is right on the money.

'We took the boys Christmas shopping,' Audrey Wourms conveyed, 'We thought we'd take them out to a nice restaurant. We asked them what kind of food they'd like and they both said, 'Can we go to McDonalds?' And that was the highlight of the trip for them.'

Identical foods take on distinctive tastes in different countries,

and bread was mentioned by several players as an example. Tatar misses the hard black bread he grew up with, while Skovira devours white sandwich bread with gusto.

'When I make homemade bread and buns they disappear before you know it,' Wourms related. 'I could make ten dozen buns twice a day and they'd be gone. I may have to put some in a neighbor's freezer so we'll have some baking left for Christmas!'

Although born in Canada, the Munchinsky's are of Czech descent. They are able to converse with the players in their native tongue and prepare familiar dishes the players relish. Audrey Wourms has also mastered a few Czech dishes under the boys' tutelage, although the appeal of some of the dishes escapes her.

'One night Mark scrambled about eight eggs and added macaroni. He used almost half a pound of true butter and added grated cheese. All that cholesterol! I can't believe it would be that good for them- health-wise or taste-wise, but when it was ready both boys went, 'Yum-yum!'

Avid fans of European soccer, the four catch spend a fair amount of leisure time in front of the television set.

'One of the other players lent them an old Nintendo game,' Munchinsky said, adding, 'They'll play with that by the hour, and they're good at it.'

Women's liberation is apparently a novel concept to the Czechs, and both host families promptly initiated the lads in Canadian domestic customs.

'One of the first things we said to them was, 'If you guys want to be happy here, you'll have to learn that North American girls aren't going to cater to you,' Munchinsky said.

Wourms concurred, relating a story involving Tatar.

'I have very have strict house rules and the boys have to pitch in. One day I came home and Mark was wiping up something that had spilled on the floor. I said, 'I wish I had a camera- I'd take a picture of you and send it to your mother,' Mark said, 'Don't you dare tell my

mother! She'd make me scrub floors when I go home!'

For his part, Tatar is looking forward to celebrating the Christmas holidays with his family.

'Most families don't eat meat, just fish,' he said, relating a typical Christmas Eve in his homeland. 'We usually have a big supper on

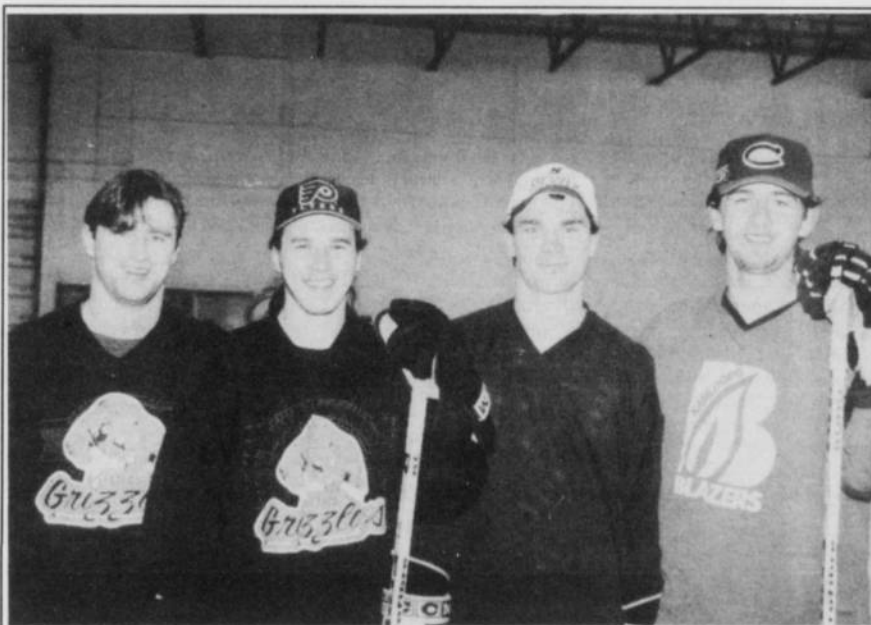
December 24, and after supper we go to the tree and take presents.'

Tatar and Skovira will be heading home for Christmas while the two Johns will be staying in Canada. One will be heading to Ottawa to spend Christmas with an uncle, and the other will be enjoying his first Canadian Christmas with the

Munchinskys. Although the Wourms family will be gathering for the holidays, the absence of Tatar and Skovira will be felt.

'You really do become a family,' Wourms said. 'We spend a lot of time together and I'm going to miss them when they go home for Christmas.'

Olds  
Grizzlys



### European power

This year the Olds Grizzlys added four power players from the Czechoslovakia to their roster. Mark Tatar, Miro Skovira, John Pouzar and John Dlouhy add extra depth to the team, according to coach Chris Stewart. Besides playing Canadian hockey, the foursome are also learning a lot about Canadian culture. (photo by Elaine Wilson)

## Didsbury takes second in Carstairs tourney

by Gary Dolha  
Special to the Review

The Carstairs Senior Curling Bonspiel, held the week of Nov. 29 to Dec. 3 was attended by many of our senior curlers. After a week of flurried activity, the team of Sammy Jackson, Art Jackson, Gord and Pat Luft emerged in second place in the 'A' event. In the 'C' event, Laura and Howard Krebs, Owen Clouston and Charlie Snyder with Jack Clarke sparing, were also sec-

ond. Teams were congratulated on their wins and wished good luck in the upcoming Sundre seniors curling bonspiel which runs the week of Dec. 6 by the club.

The Didsbury Curling Club will be hosting their own Seniors Bonspiel the week of Jan. 17-22 with daytime curling.

The D.C.C. 50/50 draw winners to date are: Didsbury Department Store, Oene Steegstra; AG Foods, Syd Horton (2-yr.-old daughter of school teacher Hobe Horton);

Mountain View Bakery, Oscar Maier; IGA, Lora Lee Whitlow; Interior Magic, Terry Vermont.

Work on the new curling rink is progressing well. The new building is closed in and interior work is about half done. The new curling surface was installed using the latest laser technology giving us the smoothest, most level surface that anyone will ever curl on. A job well done by those working on it.

On Wed., Dec. 15 the D.C.C. held its Christmas social. A good

turn out of members and guests enjoyed the homemade treats, cheese trays and egg nog. One of the highlights of the evening was the fun curl. A series of curling 'games' were played with the winner of each of the four games receiving a golf towel with a D.C.C. crest on it. All games are played 2 stones per player. The first game was called 'Blind Shot'. The rink lights are left off and a lighted candle is placed in the centre of the curling house. The winner, Terry

Vermont, was the closest to the centre. The second game is played using junior stones. Jim Wilson was victorious while Pam Whitlow won the 'Backward' game. The last game was played with everyone throwing with their wrong hand. Ernie Israelson was the winner.

On behalf of the Didsbury Curling Clubs executive, we would like to wish each and everyone a joyous noel and a happy new year.



## SPORTS

## Recreation views

by Ken Luck  
Recreation Director

Holiday schedules for both the Didsbury Aquatic Centre and Memorial Complex arena have been posted in the complex vestibule. Take home copies are also available at both arena and pool lobbies. Please pick up a copy the next time you drop past the complex.

As a result of event cancellations, the Recreation Board office will now be closed from Friday,

December 24 through to Monday, January 3 inclusive. Inquiries may be directed to the Aquatic Centre by calling 335-8653.

With this being the final "Recreation Views" of 1993, I would like to take this opportunity to share with you, the reader, the following Christmas and New Year's wish: "Christmas Greetings"

A greeting my readers I give unto all,

Into whose hands this paper chance to fall.

A greeting which often our fair hearts doth cheer,

'Tis "A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year."

Be you a Yankee, Canadian or resident of Didsbury.

Police officer, mailman or western M.P.,

Cattle king or farmer, I care not a jot;

For we are all as one in the Christmas lot.

To each one and all I at this time extend,

This welcome of friendship to all as a friend.

Old settlers, noted as "wrestlers" bold,

Have learned in the past how to gather up gold.

But whilst all here strive for what most men still crave,

In the hour of death it men's soul cannot save.

There's a pearl of great price offered free to all,

Which this Christmas season to our minds recall.

Let all then take heed this great

pearl first to find,

To which the world's wealth is not equal combined.

It is offered alike to rich and to poor,

And upon the holder will always ensure.

In the midst of this world, it's foil and strife,

In the pressure of business and everyday life.

In sickness and in health, a true friend ever near,

A Merry Christmas to all and a Happy New Year!

## Don's Den

by Don E. Owchar  
Review writer

Hi and welcome to the final Den of 1993. I hope it's been a great year and '94 is even better for all of us. I'm going to give you a break this week and not ask a trivia question, but that means the next one will be a doozy! Anyway, as is my tradition, the final Den is sort of a Christmas/New Years wish list for teams and players in the world of sports so let's get at it!

Olds Grizzlies...A 3rd straight AJHL title and the Centennial Cup.

Al Graham...(Centennial Cup chairman) A packed rink for all games.

Didsbury Ramblers...Lots of wins and some fans!

Eric Lindros...Healthy knees (We don't need another Bobby Orr).

Mario Lemieux...A healthy back.

Brett Hull...Adam Oates back (or any centre who can pass).

New York Rangers...A Stanley Cup (53 years is long enough to wait).

Toronto Blue Jays...A 3rd straight World Series championship.

Joe Carter...An MVP award. Montreal Expos...A National League pennant.

Doug Flutie...A 4th straight CFL MVP award and another Grey Cup.

Las Vegas Posse...Lots and lots of fans.

Sacramento Gold Miners...See above.

CFL...See above.

Evander Holyfield...A few knockout victories to prove he is the "Real Deal".

Scotty Olson...A world title fight in Edmonton.

Canada...Lots and lots of medals at the Olympics.

Review readers...Health, happiness and laughter in 1994!

## Grant to supply polo nets

by Janice Harrington  
Review Editor

Didsbury benefited from a grant allocation recently handed out by the Alberta Sport Council.

The Didsbury and District Recreation and Culture Board received \$2700 from the Council for the purchase of a set of wall mounted water polo goals for the Didsbury Aquatic Centre.

Carstairs was also awarded a grant for its minor baseball league. The league was given \$2800 for the purchase of a pitching machine and portable batting cage.

Both allocations were part of \$28,626 in grants handed out to sporting and recreation groups across the Big country zone.

## Cremona minor hockey news

by Ryan Robertson  
Special to the Review

It is mid-December. We have nearly reached the middle of our hockey season and all facets of Cremona minor hockey have played well for the first half. This time of year is a lot of things to a lot of people, but above all else it is Christmas, a time when players ask Santa for a few more goals and assists and coaches for more discipline.

A whirlwind tour of our Association sees our Bantams playing hard each time out. The nucleus of a strong team is evident and the new year could hold good things in store.

The Pee Wee B team is about the middle of the pack in league play and involved in some very close league and exhibition games. Manager Keith Russell is very pleased with his team's good work ethic.

The Pee Wee C's have been playing very well, having no league losses and a strong team effort is attributed to their success.

The Atom C team sports a perfect 6-0 record in league play as an inspired group of players play "hungry" every game.

The Novice B's keep rolling as well, also putting up the numbers

of 6-0 in league play.

The Dynamites, both teams, have supplied their supporters with lots of excitement and memories.

As Christmas day rapidly approaches we here in Cremona wish everyone a very Merry Christmas and all the best in 1994! Although time waits for no-one right now it seems to be standing still.



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	W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS
Millet Thunder	11	3	0	116	52	22
Didsbury Ramblers	9	4	0	112	83	18
Bashaw Stars	8	5	1	116	104	17
Innisfail Eagles	8	6	1	106	86	17
Olds Elks	5	10	0	83	115	10
Big Valley Oil Kings	0	13	0	48	141	0

## TOP SCORERS

	GP	G	A	PTS	PIM
Wes Makofka, Innisfail	15	31	21	52	12
Darren Dallas, Didsbury	13	7	36	43	16
Brent Youngs, Didsbury	13	13	26	39	18
Jeff Denham, Innisfail	13	17	18	35	27
Al Stasko, Millet	14	15	19	34	60

Heritage Junior "B" Hockey League  
1993-94

	GP	W	L	T	GF	GA	PTS
Innisfail Blades	18	15	3	0	143	84	30
Lacombe							
Wranglers	15	12	2	1	120	45	25
Red Deer Stars							
of Destiny	17	9	4	4	88	68	22
Carstairs Colts	17	9	7	1	106	95	19
Stettler							
Lightning	17	9	5	3	84	73	18
Rimby							
West Stars	19	9	10	0	115	100	18
Cochrane							
Generals	18	7	8	3	116	103	17
Drayton Valley							
Oil Capitals	17	6	11	0	101	126	12
Drumheller							
Lions	17	4	13	0	64	131	8
Olds Diplomats	19	1	18	0	52	164	2

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# ENTERTAINMENT / TRAVEL

## What's cooking?

The single biggest problem with "Christmas People" is that we tend to bite off more than we can chew.

The key for happy holidays is to keep things simple. After all, the house will be pretty well decorated anyway, so all you really need to do is set the table, chill the wine and maybe put a little Vivaldi on the C.D. to entertain before the big day.

The secret of this recipe is that special touch of class - genuine Dutch Edam Cheese. It's creamy smooth, nut-sweet flavour combines with the simple ingredients of this dish to produce the perfect marriage of sophistication and comfort.



### Creamy Chicken & Wine With Dutch Edam Cheese

4 boneless, skinless chicken breasts  
seasoned flour  
3 tbsp (45 mL) butter  
1/2 lb. (250 g) sliced mushrooms  
1 tbsp (15 mL) all purpose flour  
2/3 cup (150 mL) dry white wine  
1/2 cup (125 mL) light sour cream  
salt and pepper to taste  
3 oz (75 g) Dutch Edam Cheese  
1/4 cup (50 mL) slivered almonds, toasted  
finely chopped parsley

Melt remaining 12 tbsp (15 mL) butter in same frying pan. Add flour. Mix well. Gradually add wine, stirring until smooth. Bring to a boil, stirring constantly until smoothly thickened.

Add sour cream. Mix well and heat through, stirring constantly. Do not boil. Season to taste. Pour evenly over chicken and mushrooms.

Place cheese slices over chicken. Broil 6" (15 cm) from heat just until cheese is melted and lightly browned.

Sprinkle with almonds and parsley.

*Helpful hint: For seasoned flour, add salt, pepper and your favourite herbs to about 1/3 cup (75 mL) all purpose flour. Thyme, tarragon or marjoram are nice with poultry.*

Saute mushrooms in 1 tbsp (15

Over the years, Bacardi Rum has been a "secret" ingredient in so many of those wonderful Christmas recipes Canadians have come to rely on.

And here are just a few of the most memorable from my own collection. A crackling, succulent holiday ham, temptingly glazed and complimented by a delectable rum raisin sauce.

For a magnificent dessert, the rich, moist Bacardi Rum Cake is the perfect finishing touch!

And of course, as befits the season, a goodly sampling of some of this year's most notable potables. The tart and terrific Bacardi Cranberry Cocktail, a joyful Caribbean Punch, served with a kiss of genuine Bacardi Rum or "au naturel" for the designated driver. Or perhaps a warm and cozy Bacardi Fireside Classic, perfectly premixed and available in four great-tasting flavours. Just right for those precious moments after all the guests have turned in and it's just you and Santa and the warm glow of the fireplace.

Now that sounds wonderful! Merry Christmas! Do enjoy!

### CHRISTMAS HAM WITH BACARDI RUM RAISIN SAUCE

1 cup (250 mL) dark raisins  
1 1/2 cups (350 mL) BACARDI amber or "1873" rum

5-7 lb (3 kg) partially or fully cooked ham with bone (if using canned ham, use label directions for baking time and temperature)

1/3 cup (75 mL) Dijon-style mustard

### EVERYDAY GOURMET



with Lise O'Brien

1 cup (250 mL) firmly packed dark brown sugar  
2 cups (500 mL) apple cider

In bowl, combine raisins and 1 cup (250 mL) rum. Soak 2 hours. Preheat oven to 325°F/(160°C). Place ham fat side up in roasting pan. Score fat in diamond pattern cutting at 1 inch (2.5 cm) intervals. Rub ham with mustard and pat with brown sugar. Add raisin/rum mixture and apple cider to bottom of pan. Bake 1 1/2 hours, basting every 20 minutes. Remove ham and skim grease from pan juices. Pour juices into saucepan. Cook over medium-high heat about 15 minutes. Stir in remaining 1/2 cup (125 mL) rum and heat. Pour into sauce boat. Serves 10-12.

### THE FAMOUS BACARDI RUM CAKE

1 cup (250 mL) chopped pecans or walnuts  
1 package (18.25 oz/520 g) yellow cake mix (see note)  
1 package (3 3/4 oz/92 g) vanilla instant pudding and pie filling

mix  
4 eggs  
1/2 cup (125 mL) cold water  
1/2 cup (125 mL) vegetable oil  
1/2 cup (125 mL) amber rum

### GLAZE

1/2 cup (125 mL) butter  
1/4 cup (60 mL) water  
1 cup (250 mL) sugar  
1/2 cup (125 mL) BACARDI amber rum.

Optional: whipped cream for garnish

Preheat oven to 325°F/160°C. Grease and flour 10-inch (25 cm) tube pan or 12 cup (3L) fluted pan. Sprinkle nuts over bottom of pan. Combine all cake ingredients. Blend well. With electric mixer at medium speed, beat 4 minutes. Pour batter over nuts. Bake 1 hour. Cool. Invert on serving plate. Prepare glaze in saucepan by melting butter over medium heat. Stir in water and sugar and boil 5 minutes, stirring constantly. Remove from heat and stir in rum. To glaze, prick top of cake with a fork. Spoon and brush glaze evenly over top and sides allowing cake to absorb glaze. Repeat until all glaze is used. If desired, decorate cake with a border of whipped cream. Serves 12.

Note: If using cake mix with pudding already in it, omit instant pudding and use only 3 eggs and 1/3 cup oil.

### BACARDI CRANBERRY COCKTAIL

In a tall glass pour 1 1/2 oz (45 mL) BACARDI white rum, 4 1/2 oz (140 mL) cranberry juice and 1 oz (30 mL) orange juice. Stir and garnish with a lime wedge.



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# ENTERTAINMENT / TRAVEL

## Troop gears up for next production

Recently completing a successful run of "The Odd Couple", Theatre Didsbury is preparing to start on its next production, "Love, Sex and the I.R.S.", a farce by William Van Zandt and Jane Milmore.

"Having titillated your tastebuds with 'O.C.' we feel you're ready for more," said T.D. spokesperson Derek Lewis.

Lewis said the new production

is filled with twists of fate, mistaken identity, sight gags and, to quote the New Jersey Register, - "enough comic lines to fill an encyclopedia of humor".

Auditions, as advertised, will be at Rosebud Hall January 12 and 13 with rehearsals starting the following week. Lewis said production time will be restricted to 9 weeks with first presentation of

"Love, Sex and the I.R.S." scheduled for March 18 in the new year.

Further details (including bookings) can be obtained from Tony at 335-4810 or Derek, 335-4777, but interested parties are asked to call after 7:00 p.m. since their both M.A.S.H. fanatics. This will be the second offering from the recently formed Theatre Didsbury troop.

## Poetry contest announced

Special to the Review

The National Library of Poetry has announced that \$12,000 in prizes will be awarded this year to over 250 poets in the North American Open Poetry Contest. The deadline for the contest is December 31, 1993. The contest is open to everyone and entry is free.

Any poet, whether previously published or not, can be a winner. Every poem entered also has a chance to be published in a deluxe, hardbound anthology.

To enter, send one original poem, any subject and any style, to The National Library of Poetry, 11419 Cronridge Dr., P.O. Box 704-ZT, Owings Mills, MD 21117. The poem should be no more than 20 lines, and the poet's name and address should appear on the top of the page. Entries must be postmarked by December 31, 1993. A new contest opens January 1, 1994.

## Cantata to retell the birth

Special to the Review

The Zion Evangelical Missionary Church choir will be presenting the Cantata: "Share The Good News - He Is Born" at the annual Christmas Eve Candlelight Service at Zion Church beginning at 7:30 p.m.

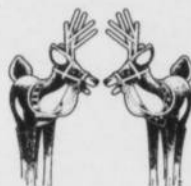
"Share The Good News! He Is Born" is the retelling of the Christmas story through narration, singing and drama set in a festive con-

temporary style. The congregation of Zion Church extends an invitation to all to join them on this special evening in the celebration of the birth of the Saviour. Along with the Cantata presentation will be the traditional candlelighting ceremony as together we rejoice and share in the spreading of the good news that will bring joy to the world.

This is the last issue of the Didsbury Review for 1993. We will publish again on January 11, 1994. The Review's office will be closed from December 22, 1993 to January 4, 1994. We will re-open with regular office hours on January 5. Have a wonderful holiday.

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# ENTERTAINMENT / TRAVEL

## The rise of those "infernally combusting engines"

by Marsha Boulton

Rustico, Prince Edward Island, 1866 - How did a parish priest cause a sensation at the Saint Jean Baptiste Day picnic in this small community?

What was supposed to be a typical celebration became an historic event, when Father George Belacourt surprised his Island parishioners by arriving in a steam-propelled vehicle, which is believed to have been the first of its kind in British North America.

The vehicle Father Belacourt imported from New Jersey was a great crowd pleaser. The *Charlottetown Examiner* reported: "With wonder and delight it was observed steaming away...at a fast speed."

The witnessing of the dawn of a new era of transportation ended when the priest lost control of the newfangled contraption and veered into a field.

The following year, Henry Seth Taylor of Stanstead, Quebec built

Canada's first steam carriage and the local newspaper was quick to pronounce it "the neatest thing of its kind yet invented."

The first electric automobile in Canada appeared on the streets of Toronto in December, 1893. A local company built the battery-powered vehicle for lawyer Frederick Fetherstonhaugh, who proudly demonstrated its ability to travel to speeds of up to 24 km/h.

Motoring began to acquire an aura of glamour characterized by speed. A three-wheel car from France driven by a Quebec dentist reached the "dizzying" speed of 29 km/h in an 1897 demonstration along Chemin Sainte-Foy. In the same year, George Foote Foss, a bicycle repairman from Sherbrooke, constructed Canada's first gasoline driven car for his personal use. He drove it summer and winter for five years, and got more than 80 km to the gallon.

Hamilton's Colonel John Moodie Jr. acquired the first "mass market" gasoline-engine car in April, 1898.

It looked for all the world like a horse-drawn buggy, with the engine in the rear. Moodie's "Winton" was such a novelty that he installed spikes around the ends to deter unwanted passengers.

Despite the outrageous price tag of \$1,000, Col. Moodie contended that his car was cheaper to own than a pair of good horses. In fact, his "horseless carriage" stayed in use for 15 years.

At the turn of the century, dozens of small machine shops had blossomed into car makers, but many people still thought cars were a noisy and unreliable fad.

"Infernally combusting engines" became the constant butt of jokes and the roadside taunt of the day was "get a horse." In schools, a favorite topic of debate was "Resolved: That the Motor-Car is Useless, Dangerous and Ought to be Abolished."

Prince Edward Island, in particular, did not take kindly to automobiles. In 1908, the legislature voted to ban all autos in response to

citizens concerns about wear and tear to the roadways and the terrorization of livestock and children. "We're going to keep them cars out if we have to take a pitchfork to them," wrote one Island farmer.

Canada's love affair with the horseless carriage could not be suppressed. Ford started manufacturing cars in Canada in 1903 and Oshawa carriage maker Sam

McLaughlin turned out the nation's first all-Canadian Buick in 1908. By 1911, the T. Eaton Company was selling automobiles by mail order.

The automobile became an industry, as well as a national passion.

(Watch for the Heritage Minutes on your local television station.)



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### Holiday drink recipes spell success

Holiday entertaining often makes even the most experienced host feel just a bit short when it comes to creative recipes for drinks and cocktails. If you're like many hosts who have an old standby created years ago that may have become a bit boring, the following recipes might just be the thing to spice up your repertoire.

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Once you've experimented, personalize a recipe, handwrite it on elegant gift cards with holiday notes and include a bottle of B&B Liqueur for a perfect holiday gift. The legendary liqueur is sure to please, and the thoughtfulness of including your own recipe will be remembered long after the season is over.

#### CHOCOLATE DROP


1 1/2 ounces B&B Hot Chocolate

Pour B&B and hot chocolate into a mug. Garnish with whipped cream and chocolate shavings.

#### CAFE B&B

1 ounce B&B  
1/2 teaspoon cinnamon-sugar  
Dash of Hiram Walker Amaretto  
Hot coffee


Pour liqueurs into a mug, stir in cinnamon sugar. Add hot coffee, and garnish with whipped cream and a cinnamon stick.



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**BEARBERRY**

**BERGTHAL**

**CARSTAIRS**

**RECYCLING DEPOT**

Carstairs Lion's Recycling Depot is open every Saturday from 9 a.m. - 12:20 p.m. 28

**BRIDAL SHOWER**

Bridal shower for Tanya Van Tighem Tuesday, Jan. 4th, 7:30 p.m., Carstairs Community Hall. 36

**CREMONA**

**BOTTLE & BATTERY DRIVE**

The Cremona 4-H Club is holding a bottle and battery drive on Saturday, January 8. The area covered will be the Cremona School District. If you will not be home, please call Brenda Odell at 337-2333 to arrange for pickup. 36

**DIDSBURY**

**AL-ANON**

Al-Anon meetings for families of alcoholics held every Friday at 8:30 p.m. in Masonic Hall, corner of 21 St. & 21 Ave., Didsbury. More info. 335-3637.

**BIBLE STUDY PROGRAM**

Did you know? St. Anthony's Catholic Church has a Bible Study Program. We meet in the church basement Mondays at 9:30 a.m. For more info call 335-3605.

**MOM'S TIME OUT**

Kidding Around Parents Club "MOM'S TIME OUT", Monday morning 10 - 11:30 a.m. Babysitting available. For more info. call Donna 335-4339.

**DIDSBURY**

**TOY LIBRARY**

Kidding Around Parents Club Toy Library: Hours Tuesdays and Fridays 10 a.m. - noon in the E.C.S. portable. Large selection of toys. More info. call Denise at 335-8146.

**AA**

Alcoholics Anonymous meetings. Fridays 8:30 p.m. at the Masonic Hall, Didsbury, 20 Ave and 21 St. For information call at 335-3637 or 335-9525 33tfnc

**LIVE NATIVITY**

Outdoor Live Nativity, Redeemer Lutheran Church, Didsbury on December 21, 22 and 23 at 7:45 p.m. 34

**GARFIELD**

**HARMATTAN**

**LONE PINE**

**FAMILY DANCE**

Lone Pine Ag. Society Family Dance, Dec. 29/93 at 8:00 p.m. \$10/family. Call 337-3859 for more info. 36

**MADDEN**

**MAYTON**

**MELVIN**

**SUNDRE**

**AL-ANON**

Al-Anon, Sundre United Church basement. Wednesday 8 p.m. More info. 638-3277.

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**DIDSBURY**

**CANTATA**

Christmas Eve Candlelight Service, Cantata: "He Is Born", 7:30 p.m., Zion Evangelical Missionary Church. 35

**CHRISTMAS DINNER**

The third annual community Christmas dinner will be held on Christmas day at the Elks Hall from 1 - 4 p.m. The Handi-bus will be running. If you or someone you know is going to be alone on Christmas day, please remember we welcome everyone. For information call Bev Wygiera 335-3430 or Pat or Garth Hollinger at 556-1761. 35

**NEW YEAR'S EVE FESTIVAL**

**CANCELLED**

Due to insufficient response and lack of sponsorship, the New Year's Eve Festival has been cancelled. Sorry for any inconvenience. FCSS and Recreation Departments. 35

**DOGPOUND**

**EAGLE HILL**

**ELKTON**

**FALLEN TIMBER**

**MIDWAY**

**NEAPOLIS**

**NEW YEAR'S EVE DANCE**

Mountain View Hall New Year's Eve dance and cabaret Dec. 31. Phone 335-2331 or 335-2370 for information and tickets. 34

**OLDS**

**REED RANCH**

**ROSEBUD**

**RUGBY**

**STIRLINGVILLE**

**SUNDRE**

**AA**

Alcoholics Anonymous Wednesdays, 8:00 - 9:00 p.m. in the basement of the Anglican Church. Ron Leckie 638-2736.

**ALA TEEN**

Ala Teen, Sundre United Church Basement, Wednesday 7:00 p.m. More info 638-3277.

**WESTWARD HO**

**ZELLA**

**CARD PARTY**

Zella Whist Card Party, 7:30 p.m. to be held throughout the winter months on the 2nd and 4th Monday nights of each month. Pot luck lunch. 29



**MERRY  
CHRISTMAS**

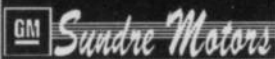
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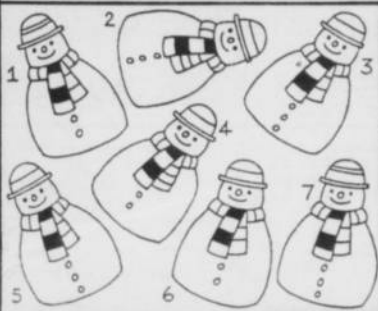


# CORNER OF INTELLECT



## SPOT THE SNOWMEN

WHICH TWO SNOWMEN ARE ALIKE?



ANSWER: NUMBERS THREE AND FIVE

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## DID YOU KNOW?

TWENTY-SIX LETTERS OF AN ALPHABET MAY SEEM LIKE A LOT, BUT IN CHINA, THE WRITTEN LANGUAGE INVOLVES OVER 9,000 CHARACTERS!

THE PANGOLIN IS A SCALY ANTEATER. ALTHOUGH ITS BODY IS ABOUT 3 FEET LONG, ITS TAIL CAN ADD ANOTHER 6 FEET TO ITS LENGTH. IT USES ITS TAIL TO GRIP TREE BRANCHES.



THE GRAND CANYON IS ABOUT 220 MILES LONG. SOME PARTS ARE SO DEEP, THEY ARE IN PERPETUAL DARKNESS.



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## Christmas puzzler

Listed below are words and phrases that have to do with Christmas. How many can you find and circle in the scrambled letter puzzle? The words go horizontally and vertically, backwards and forwards.

TREE  
GIFTS  
MISTLETOE  
COOKIES  
CARDS  
SHOPPING  
HOLY

CAROLS  
SANTA  
TOYS  
PARTIES  
CANDLE  
GARLAND  
LIGHTS

H P U W G S F D S D R A C  
O R F H I C F R D G F C A  
L T G B F N V Y S A C A R  
Y W F B T G Q G A R P N O  
V B W E S E P H B L A R L  
R J D V Q W H J Q A R O S  
M I S T L E T O E N T L A  
T H A R I M S G M D I T S  
E E N S G Q R C C D E R E  
L T T A H H N V H J S J I  
D G A J T T O Y S S S U K  
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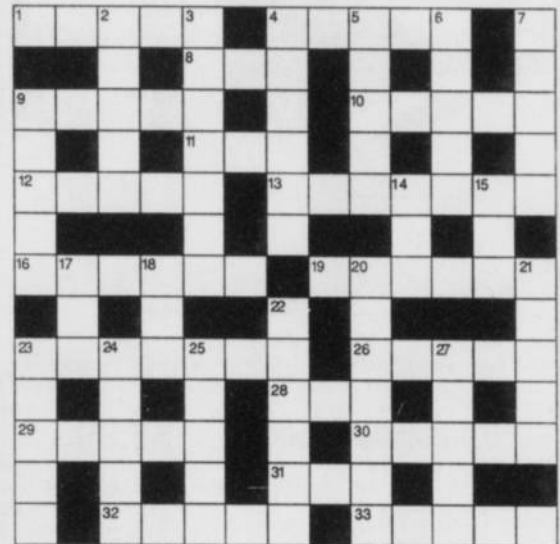
## December jumble

A lot goes on in December. Unscramble the words below to complete the December-related sentences.

1. This holiday is referred to as the "festival of lights."  
K A C A N H U H
2. No two look alike, but they all have six sides.  
E S L A W K N O E S
3. December 22 is the start of the \_\_\_\_\_  
E N I T R W L O C S T I S E
4. A favorite plant to kiss under. E I M S E T L O T
5. Door-to-door group singing. L A I O R L C N G
6. Every December 31st. W E N E A R Y S Y E E

Answers: 1. Chanukah 2. Snowflakes 3. Winter Solstice  
4. Mistletoe 5. Caroling 6. New Year's Eve

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## CLUES ACROSS

1. Sheet of paper
4. Fashionable race meeting
8. Excavated
9. Sedate
10. Gambol
11. Males
12. Yellow pigment
13. Graph
16. Paddle wheels
19. Impede
23. Behavior
26. Prohibited
28. Pair
29. Complain
30. German submarine
31. Trick
32. Loose
33. Sediment

## CLUES DOWN

2. Dog-lead
3. Remnant
4. Items of business
5. Beverage
6. Thin candle
7. Tribunal
9. Hoax
14. Adhesive
15. Yes
17. Zodiac sign
18. Append
20. Astonish
21. Perch
22. Assault
23. Volumetric
24. Requirements
25. Extreme
27. Penniless

DOWN  
1. Folio 4. Ascot 8. Dug 9. Staid 10. Caper 11. Men 12. Ochre  
13. Diagram 16. Floas 19. Hammer 23. Conduct 26. Taboo 28. Two  
29. Bleat 30. U-boat 31. Con 32. Slack 33. Dregs  
ACROSS  
2. Leash 3. Oddment 4. Agenda 5. Cocoa 6. Taper 7. Forum 9. Spool  
14. Gum 15. Aye 17. Leo 18. Add 20. Astound 21. Roost 22. Attack  
23. Cubic 24. Needs 25. Ultra 27. Broke

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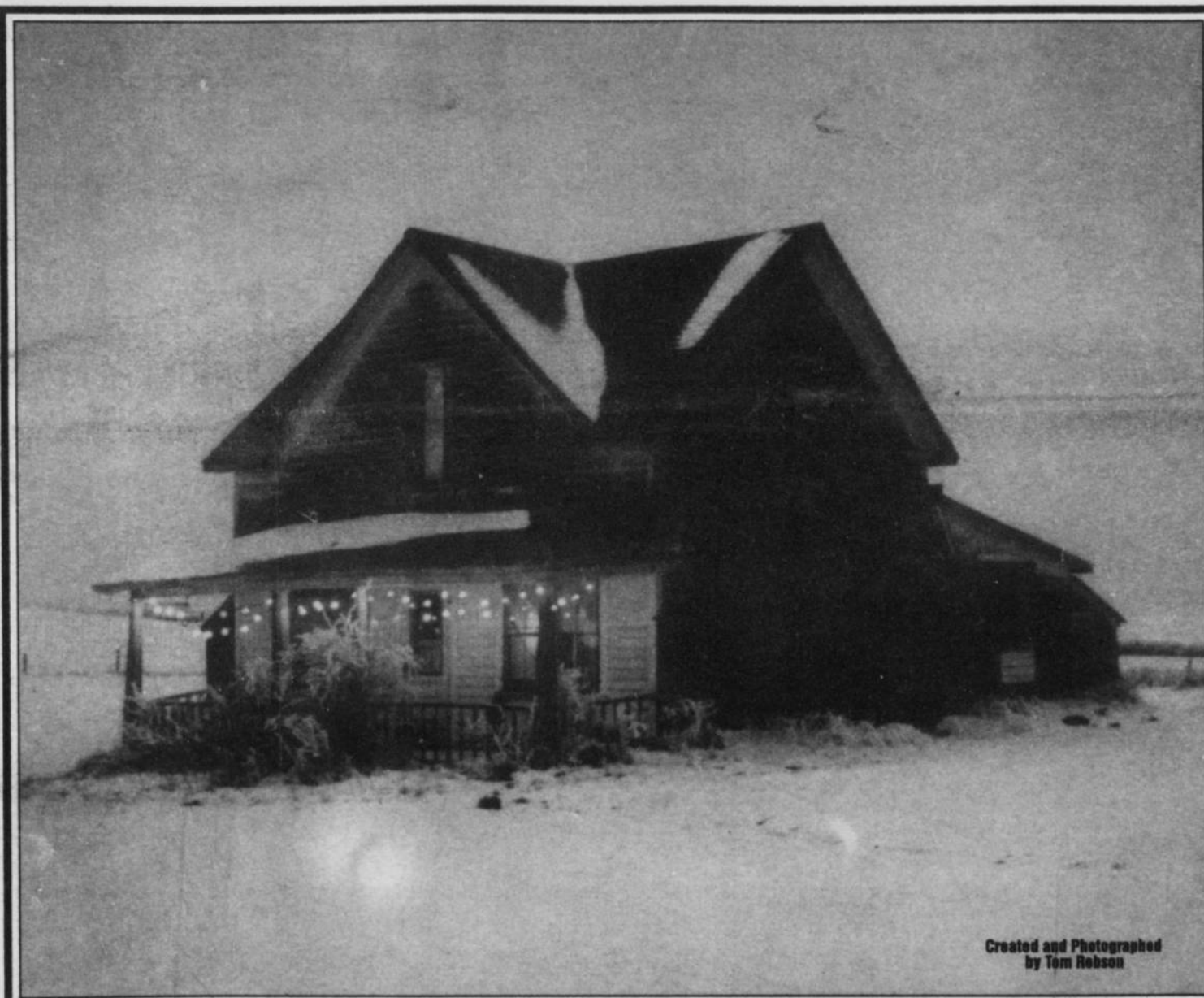
*The Didsbury*

# REVIEW

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## "McDonald Historical House"

In 1905, construction of a house was not a simple matter. Predating developments like 'Pre-fab' homes by several decades, builder George McDonald faced the same dilemmas faced by other homesteaders of the era. Curtailed by lack of materials and money, he also endured delays he had no control over. Limited materials were

shipped across great distances and even after supplies reached Didsbury, construction of dwellings tended to be a laborious and costly undertaking.

"When people homesteaded they didn't have much money so they waited until they could afford to build before going ahead with it," McDonald's niece Flora

Peterson said.

When materials became available McDonald began the formidable procedure of transport to the building site.

"All the lumber had to be hauled by horse and wagon," Peterson remembered. "It was forty miles; it was a two day trip, one way, just to get out there," she said.

Peterson lived in the house as a youngster and remembered times when the house became a haven for travellers caught in vicious prairie blizzards.

"We had lots of people who stayed with us when they were stranded by the weather," she said.

The original structure was much smaller than that pictured; addi-

tions were built as funds and materials became available. Originally located approximately 40 miles east of Didsbury, the house was moved to its present site just north of the Sarcee Butte area in 1932.





# CHRISTMAS GREETINGS

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THE  
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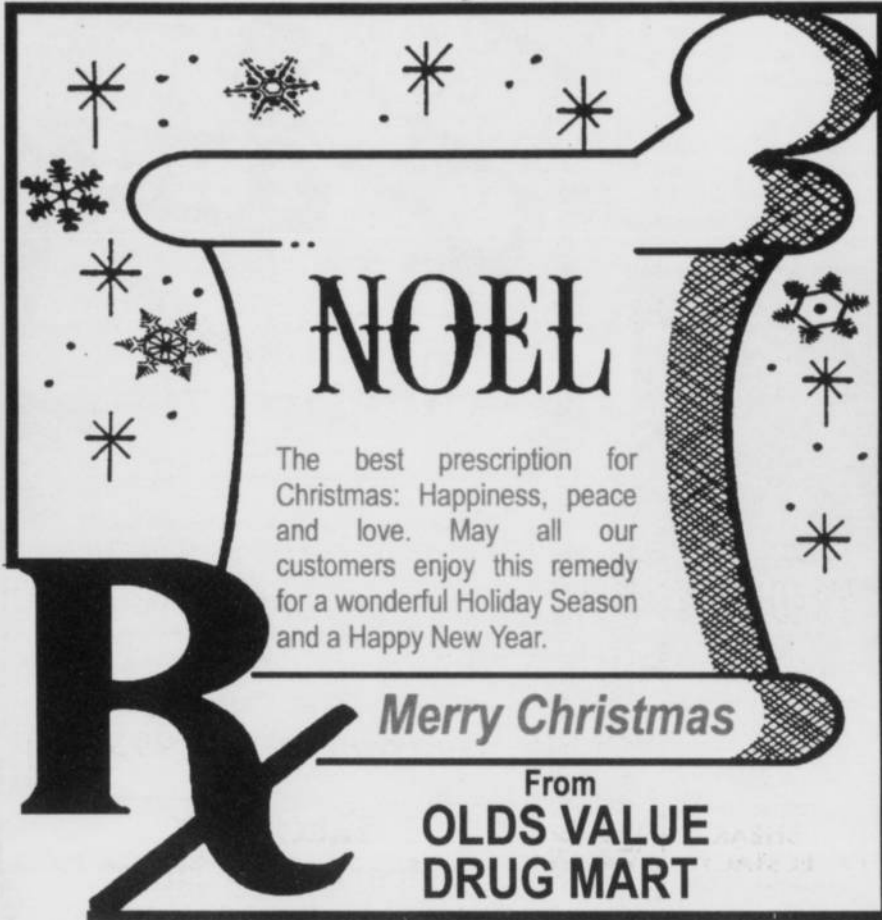
Celebrate  
an old-  
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ones you  
love.  
Good  
tidings to  
all our fine  
patrons.

**CO-OP**

From the Board of Directors, Management and Staff of  
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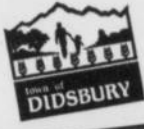
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**Merry Christmas From The Management**  
Al, Charlene, Emmor, Joan, Gord And Tina And From The Entire Staff  
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## This season, give the universal gift of chocolate

Holiday traditions vary around the world, but all merry-makers have one tradition in common: exchanging gifts of sweets.

Germans spice up their holidays with hard spice cookies, *pfefferkuchen*. Danes bake thousands of tiny cakes known as pepper nuts. And Norwegians prepare a special rice pudding with one almond. The person who finds the almond will be the next one to marry.

One traditional gift which has crossed all borders is Swiss chocolate. In Switzerland, chocolate is given 12 months of the year, but especially at Christmas, as a gift of love, appreciation and friendship.

According to Arthur Oberholzer, master pastry chef of Swiss chocolate maker Lindt & Sprungli, chocolate as a heartfelt gift dates back to the Aztec Emperor Montezuma. Reportedly, he drank 50 portions of chocolate every day and would serve his guests this royal drink in gold goblets.

So if you want to give your family and friends the royal treatment this holiday season, present them with a box of chocolate.

• *Gift of romance.* For a gift

from the heart, the chocolate truffle is the most elegant and seductive chocolate. According to legend, the first chocolate truffle was created as a novelty for King Louis XIII of France, who had a sweet tooth. The king loved the exotic mushrooms known as truffles, so the royal chocolatier created a treat that looked like a truffle and was made with two chocolates - a hard, solid outer shell surrounding a soft, silky chocolate inside.

• *Gift of thanks.* For an elegant and delicious thank-you, every-

one loves a distinctive gift box of assorted chocolates.

• *Gift of fun.* Chocolate also makes charming stocking stuffers. Look for a small, festive box, such as Lindt's new Ornament gift box, illustrated with gold, red and blue ornaments and filled with milk chocolate truffles, to put into your Christmas stockings.

So wherever you're celebrating the holidays with family and friends, chocolate is the universal gift that will melt the hearts of everyone.



One of the most festive holiday traditions is placing a box of chocolate, such as Lindt's Lindor Swiss Chocolate, under the tree.



## GREETINGS FROM THE REEVE'S OFFICE

Another year has passed and Christmas is almost here again.

We are living in changing times and one change that challenged the Council, administration and taxpayers of our County was the application of the updated general assessment and the new regulations legislated by our provincial government.

Through a concentrated effort by County Council and Administration I believe most people now understand the new regulations, although not everyone agrees with them.

Recent announcements from our provincial and federal governments identifying the depths of the deficits and their resolve to address them will create another challenging year.

We can, however, be thankful that Christmas is a time when we can put our problems aside and draw our family and friends together to enjoy their company. We would encourage you to make a point of catching up on a missed visit and invite your family and friends over to share a meal during this special time of year.

Merry Christmas! Stay Healthy, and Best Wishes from the Council and Staff of the County of Mountain View!

Reeve John Grimstead



As an expression of thanks and good will we are extending to you at this time, the Season's Greetings and our Best Wishes for health and happiness in the New Year.



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Students, Staff & Board

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Dear Santa:

I was beening good. I want a crash dummy for Christmas.

Joey  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

How are your reindeer doing. I've been good. I want a robot for Christmas. I'm going to leave you chocolates.

Jason  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

I want a tractor for Christmas. I will leave a banana out for you, and some milk. What are you doing?

Andy  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

How are you? I have been good this year. I have two cats. I don't know what I want for Christmas.

Love, Liesbeth  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

To Santa: I would like a magic carring Barbie. How are you? How is your reindeer? I've been good and bad. How is Mrs. Claus? I'm going to leave you a Christmas picture.

Paula  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

I want a pet spider. I want a mermaid Barbie that squirts water out of her crown. I want Jurssasic Park toys. I will leave you cookies and hot chocolate. I've been good this year.

Jillian  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

How are your elves doing? How is Rudolph? How is Mrs. Claus? How is Dancer? How is Dixon? How is Bixen? How is Prancer? I want for Christmas Ninja turtle that flips by itself, a ninja turtle submarine, and Dark Dragon's Den.

From Daniel  
Ross Ford

May the heavenly bells of Christmas chime out with good cheer and warm greetings to one and all!

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Town of Didsbury**

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**335-3022**

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Best Wishes From  
Jack & Staff At  
**Meyer's**  
**Men's Wear**  
Olds





Dear Santa:

How are your reindeer? How are the elves doing? How are you doing? I want a new crash dummy for Christmas.

Timmy  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

I want a stuffed bunny rabbit, and a stuffed snowman. I will leave you some Christmas oranges, and some milk. How are your reindeers?

Cordell  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

What are the elves doing? How are the reindeers doing? What is Mrs. Santa doing? I don't know what I want for Christmas, you can surprise me.

Jessica  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

I love you. Have a nice day. I want Princess castle for Christmas. I love you.

Lindley  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

How are your deers doing? I want baby newborn alive. How are you doing.

Love, Josie  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

How are your reindeer doing? I want a motor cycle, and a tractor, and a million dinosaurs in my room. I will have cookies and milk for you.

Love, Justin  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

How is Rudolph doing? I've been good this year. I'm going to set out cookies for you and milk. I want a tractor, and a motor bike. How are all the other reindeer doing?


Love, Riley  
Ross Ford


Dear Santa:


How are you? I've been good. I want kitty surprise.

Sarah  
Ross Ford

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Holiday Season  
To All Of Our  
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 **NOEL**  
Make a joyful noise unto the  
Lord! We hope Christmas  
brings you every blessing!  
The Management & Staff Of  
**Interior Magic**


 **SEASON'S GREETINGS**  
... from  
Dave & Janine & Staff  
at  
**W Mark's Work Warehouse**  
OLDS

 From the Desk of...  
**ROBERT N. WILSON**  
Mayor, Town of Carnarvon

Do you notice during the festive season that the number of activities seem to be inversely proportional to the time available in which to do them? The perfect gift always seems to be so elusive, the Christmas menu lacks that one mouth-watering recipe and related ingredients, the children's concert needs more costumes, or the day of the Christmas party you find your suit needs dry cleaning. While these and other occurrences become part of Christmas memories and tradition, the one event that I always plan on is to make a charitable donation to aid others less fortunate. The memory of any Christmas tribulation pales in comparison to that one singular act. May the joy of Christmas touch you all.

**Thank You**  
for your patronage from  
Penny & Gary Dolha  
Pengary House Tea Room  
**Merry Christmas & Happy New Year**  
335-8353 for bookings 

**SILENT NIGHT**  
Merry Christmas  
From Ross And Karen  
**Campbell's Plumbing & Heating**  
Didsbury 

 **NOEL**  
It's a pleasure to greet our  
friends at this time and wish you all  
the happiness the season can bring!  
**H & R Pontiac Buick Ltd.**  
OLDS  
556-3606; 556-6404 Calgary 234-0779





Dear Santa:

I want a fish for Christmas. I want a chimney. How are you doing? I will leave cookies and milk for you.

Luke  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

How are you? Im fine. How is Mrs. Claus and the reindeers. Are the elves working hard this year. This year for Christmas I would like paint by number of horses. Clowns, Movies, Clothes, Super nintendo. Hope you have a save and happy Christmas. Merry Christmas.

Love,  
Yolanda May Markowski  
Age 10  
1993

Dear Santa:

How are your elves, are they busy? I want Criss Cross Crash for Christmas. Are you busy?

Adam  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

I love you. I have a little cousin, a little baby cousin. How is Rudolph doing? How are you doing? I would like a ball for Christmas. I like Christmas.

Stephanie  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

I love you. I would like My Baby All Gone. How is Rudolph doing? How are the elves doing Santa? I'm going to leave you cookies at the step because we don't have a chimney. I have two brothers.

Chelsey, Age 5  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

Please could I have Magic Car Barbies and Magic Boot Barbie. I am going to leave out cereal for you. I am going to leave out carrots for Rudolph. How is Rudolph doing? What do you eat for supper? I've been good and bad.

Brianne  
Ross Ford

**DOGGONE**  
Good Christmas  
from all of us at

Ron  
Sheila  
Brenda  
Val

**PUP & BONE**  
PET BOARDING  
LTD.  
335-4409

Mary  
Donna  
Beverly

From the Desk of...  
**ROY BRASSARD**  
M.L.A., Oude Didsbury

Christmas is a very special time as families gather to celebrate the birth of the Christ child. In doing so, it gives all of us an opportunity to renew family relationships and community friendship as well. It is indeed a magical time of year.

It is our sincere wish that you have a wonderful holiday filled with good friends and joyful times. May the miracle of Christmas inspire you with it's hope, promise and love through the coming year.

**SHEILA & ROY BRASSARD**

**Season's Greetings**

There's no place like home at Christmas time! We wish you all the best!

**Parkland Agri Services**  
(1980) Ltd.

## DIDSBURY AUCTION SERVICES Sends You Christmas Greetings



We want to thank all our loyal customers for bringing us cheer throughout the year. You mean everything to us, and we'll continue working hard for your business this Christmas, into the New Year and beyond. Without you, the holiday just wouldn't be the same. All the best to you and yours. Happy Holidays!

**Come check out our lot of consignment vehicles.**

A TRADITIONAL  
**CHRISTMAS**

Wishing You A Home Filled With Love And Laughter—All The Good Things Of The Season!

From Gord, Cathy, Barb & Diane  
**Mountain View Credit Union**  
Didsbury





Dear Santa:

How is Rudolph doing? How are the elves doing making toys? I only want anything that you give me. I got a nice little puppy his name is Buster. I got a brother named Tyler. I going to give you some gingerbread cookies. Thank you Santa. I love you.

Desiree  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

How are you Santa? I know you and your elves are awful busy this year and how is Rudolph? I've been a good girl and I would like a Crystal Princess for Christmas. I'm going to leave you some cookies and milk on Christmas eve especially for you. My cousins Miranda and Tyson are waiting for you to come to there house to.

Love, Stephanie Miller

Dear Santa:

I've been good this year. I love Santa. I would like Monster Face and The Claw and Outlaw.

Love, Travis  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

How are you? How are your reindeer? I want a new crash dummy for Christmas.

Brin  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

I want Toy Power Rangers, and a Barney doll. How is Rudolph doing? How are the elves doing? How are you doing?

Tim P.  
Ross Ford

Dear Santa:

How is Rudolph doing? Please can I have a turtle bus and monster face. How are you doing? You're a nice boy.

Matt C.  
Ross Ford

May the season be bright with joy and laughter for you!  
We appreciate your patronage of our firm.

**WILKINS MILK DISTRIBUTORS LTD.**  
Gary, Pam & Staff  
335-3970

From all of us to all of you. We wish you prosperity and good health for the year to come.

**The Reeve, Councillors & All The Staff Of  
The County of Mountain View**

Bundles Of Joy And Yuletide Cheer Coming Your Way As We Add Our Thoughts Of Thanks On This Merry Holiday

**Chris & Staff**

**MONARCH BUILDING SUPPLIES**  
(Olds)

**Seasons Greetings**

With sincere thanks for your continued patronage and friendship this past year.

Best Wishes  
For 1994

**Allan Koch & Family**  
**335-8826**  
For All Your  
Carpentry Needs

**We Wish You An Old-Fashioned Holiday  
Filled With Love And Laughter  
And All The Special Delights Of The Season**

Merry Christmas from the  
**Elks Lodge**  
We Thank You All For Your Support

**Just for Christmas**

— time to pause to greet old friends and new, time to draw close to those we love. It's our fond hope that all our patrons will enjoy the best of the holiday season!

**VANDA AGENCIES LTD.**

**DIDSBURY**  
Vance, Edna, Brenda, Marion,  
& Julie & Millie





Dear Santa:

How are you and Mrs. Claus? Thank you for the toys you brought last year. May I please have Jasmine doll.

Chelsey Ann Berry  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How is Mrs. Claus? Thank you for the toys that you gave me last year. I like an Easy-to-do? Christmas.

Toni Tonrold  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How are you and Mrs. Claus? Thank you for the toys that you brought. How is elves. May I please have pet shop and bunny surprise.

Rachel Abel  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How are you? Thank you for the toys. May I please have a Lego castle? I have been o good boy. May I please have my mom shoes earrings. I want a bow and arrow. My dad wants tools.

Robbie Loewen  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How are you and Mrs. Claus? Thank you for the toys you brought last year. May I please have a new bike.

Love, Lee Stevens  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How are you and the elves? Can I have Jurassic Park. Have a good trip. Can I have some Jurassic Park men?

Love, Christopher Gole  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How are you Rudolf? Mrs. Claus? Thank you for the fare truck last year. May I please have a toy train set, metal cars, and a Batman set. Merry Christmas.

Ben M.  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How is Mrs. Claus? Thank you for the puppy surprise. This year I want pony surprise.

Love you, Katrina  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

**It's Christmastime Again!**

It's that time of year.  
Time to let you know  
how much we  
appreciate your patronage.  
Thanks so much!

From Ron, Laurie & Steven of  
**Mountain View  
Water Distributing**  
335-9505

**Christmas Message:**

With the Christmas season approaching, Dot and I and the staff at my constituency office, Brenda and Cindy, would like to take this time to wish all Wild Rose constituents a very Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

It is a time for reflection and a time for remembering and giving thanks for all the good fortune we have received during the last year. It is also a time for forgiveness and moving forward with our lives and making a new start.

It is our hope that the Lord blesses all your households on this joyous occasion.

Sincerely,  
*Myron Thompson M.P.*  
Myron Thompson, M.P.  
Wild Rose Riding.

**PEACE ON EARTH**

At this special time of year, we extend our heartfelt thanks to the wonderful people of this community.

**556-6662**  
5009 - 51 St., OLDS,  
Old Library Bookshoppe

**Best Wishes**

We hope Santa fills your home with many surprises that will last the whole year through. Hope you have the merriest Yuletide ever!

**Reimer Industries Ltd.**  
Management & Staff

**May Your Days Be Merry And Bright**

From our family to yours, we extend heartfelt thanks for your loyal patronage, and pledge to work even harder in the coming year to keep your friendship and trust.

From The Management And Staff Of  
**Olds Pharmasave**



*Happy Holidays*



# GREETINGS!

May The Season Be As Good To You As You've Been To Us.

## Didsbury Eavestrough

Continuous Eavestrough, Siding, Soffit & Facia

FREE ESTIMATING

Keith Krebs  
335-4167

Something  
Catchy  
335-3774



Merry  
Christmas



LIGHT UP SAFELY

FOR THE

HOLIDAYS

Have A Safe &  
Happy Holiday  
Season  
From The  
Didsbury Fire  
Department



Joyous Noel



Throughout the land, the season spreads a feeling of warmth and good cheer. To all of you, we wish the very best of everything. Our sincere thanks for your patronage.

**DUMAX PETROLEUM  
SERVICES LTD.**

335-4121

Best Wishes  
Duke & Maxine,  
Dale, Wendy & Scott



Our Best  
Wishes And  
Heartfelt  
Thanks To  
All Our  
Customers

FROM

Frank & Dianne  
And Staff  
AT

**TIRECRAFT**  
(OLDS)



*the Glory  
of  
Christmas*

As we worship the Holy  
Child, let us rejoice in the knowledge that God so loved the  
world, He gave His only begotten Son.

From The Management & Staff Of



**Alberta Treasury Branches**  
Guaranteed Financial Services  
DIDSBURY





The Churches in the  
County of Mountain View  
Invite you to join them  
In celebrating the  
Birth of our Saviour!



*Dash away, Dash away All...*

A Special Christmas Greeting  
To All Our Friends And Customers  
From The Staff At  
**Freeman's**



## Christmas Special Services

### DIDSBURY

#### St. Cyprian's Anglican

*"The Rector, the Wardens, and Vestry, representing all the congregation and members of St. Cyprian's Church in Didsbury, wish you joy, peace, love and hope this Christmas season."*

You are invited to join us at our services on any Sunday at 10:30 a.m. when nursery and Sunday School are also available. In addition we have the following special Christmas services:

Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, 7 p.m.  
Family Service with Holy Communion  
Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, 10 p.m.  
Book of Common Prayer  
Holy Communion  
Boxing Day, Dec. 26, 10:30 a.m.  
Nine lessons and Carols  
Epiphany, Jan. 2, 10:30 a.m.  
B.C.P. Holy Communion

**St. Anthony's  
Catholic Church**  
Dec. 24, 9 p.m.  
at Westglen School

**Community Bible Church**  
Dec. 24, Christmas Candlelight  
Service, 7:00

**Didsbury Evangelical  
Missionary Church**  
Dec. 19, 10:50 a.m.  
Christmas Worship Celebration  
Dec. 24, 7:30 p.m.  
Candlelight Service  
at Zion Church  
Dec. 26, 10:50  
Worship Service

**Zion Evangelical  
Missionary Church**  
Dec. 19, 11 a.m.  
Christmas Communion Worship  
Dec. 24, 7:30 p.m.  
Christmas Eve Candlelight  
Cantata: "He Is Born"  
Dec. 26, 10:30 a.m.  
Worship Service

**Mt. View Evangelical  
Missionary Church**  
Dec. 24, 7 p.m.  
Christmas Eve Candlelight  
Service  
Dec. 26, 10:30 a.m.  
Worship Service

**CREMONA  
Cremona Congregational**  
Dec. 24, 7 p.m.  
Candlelight & Communion  
Service

### CARSTAIRS

#### St. Paul Evangelical Lutheran Church

Dec. 24, 8:00 p.m.  
Candlelight Service  
Carstairs Community Hall

#### West Zion Mennonite

Dec. 24, 7:30 p.m.  
Cantata & Candlelight

#### Carstairs Church of God

Dec. 31, 7:30 p.m.  
Watch Night Service

**Carstairs Bethel  
Evangelical Missionary**  
Dec. 24, 6:30 p.m.  
Candlelight Service

### SUNDRE

**Sundre Church of Nazarene**  
Dec. 24, 6:00 p.m.  
Special Service

**Faith Lutheran**  
Good Friday, Dec. 24, 5:00 p.m.  
Candlelight Service

### OLDS

**East Olds Baptist**  
Sun., Dec. 19, 7:00  
Candlelight Communion Service  
Fri., Dec. 24, 7:00  
Special Christmas Eve Service  
Sun., Dec. 26, 10:30  
Christmas Service

**St. Andrews  
Presbyterian**  
Dec. 24, 9:00 p.m.  
Christmas Eve Service

### Anglican Mt. View Parish

Dec. 24,  
St. Cuthbert & St. Georges  
Sundre, 7:30 p.m.  
St. Johns, Olds  
11:00 p.m.  
Dec. 25  
St. Johns, Olds  
11:00 p.m.  
Dec. 26  
St. Cuthbert & St. Georges  
11:30 a.m.  
St. Johns  
8:00 a.m. & 9:30 a.m.

### WATER VALLEY

**St. Mary's Church**  
Dec. 25 & 26 & Jan. 2,  
8:45 a.m.



## Christmas Blessings

The simple pleasures of  
Christmas! May you and your family  
share in all its wondrous joys. It's been  
a pleasure serving you throughout the  
year.

## Ward Value Drug Mart

Best Wishes From  
Margo, Bill & All Our Staff

Check For Clearance Specials  
Tuesday, December 28, 1993

## PEACE

The best gift at Christmas time is the gift of love! Merry Christmas!

From The Management  
& Staff  
**Didsbury IGA**





Dear Santa:

How are you? and Rudolf. Thank you for the Barbie you give me. Thank you for the toys that you give me. May I please have a Barbie car. I have been a good girl.

Amanda  
One A

Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How are you and Rudolf doing at the Northpole. Plesy may I have babe giggles go and I want babeal make you all better and I want the playschool doll house. I bin good grle.

Lisa Elgert  
One A

Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How are you? Thank you for the toys that you brought last year. May I please have pony surprise.

Love, Alia  
One A

Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How are all of you doing? Thank you for the lipchap. May I please have the Aladin dolls and pony suprise and littlest pet shop? I hav bin god.

Love, Breanne Pratt  
One A

Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How are you and Mrs. Claus? Thank you for the Barbies and the Barbics house broht last yesar. May I please have a Barbie? I have been good. Merry Christmas.

Love, Krystal  
One A

Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How is Rudolf? Is he good? Thank you for the stuff last year. Matt wants teenage Mutant ninga turtles.

Love you, Matt  
One A

Ross Ford Elementary

## CHRISTMAS WISHES

May the wonder of Christmas fill hearts with joy.

From the staff of  
Didsbury Playgroup  
& Kindergarten.



## MERRY CHRISTMAS

Merry Christmas & Happy New Year

from Tom & Rita at

Shop Along Cassidy



Thank you for your support.  
We look forward to serving you in 1994.

335-9459

## SEASON'S GREETINGS

to our Valued Volunteers!  
We sincerely wish you  
and yours a  
MERRY CHRISTMAS  
& ALL THE BEST IN 1994!

The staff of Mount View Health Unit



## Warmest Wishes!



May your hearth be cheered  
by the presence of dear ones!

Didsbury Esso-Food And Car Wash

Harley And Wendy, Jeff, Bev, Bonnie, Lori, Kirsty, Jodi & Pam



## Greetings

It's our favorite time of the year, 'cause it gives us a chance to wish our friends the best!

From The Staff At The  
Royal Bank  
Branch Of  
Didsbury



May all the joys that the season has to offer be yours

## HAPPY HOLIDAYS

New Snowbird Insurance

**INTRA** DON'S WORLD TRAVEL SERVICE Ltd.

"PERSONAL CARE WORLDWIDE" 335-3351 CALGARY 263-2818

## Seasons Greetings & Happy New Year To All

We offer you our very best for all your travel plans in '94.  
Don, Leta, Linda, Edith & Barb



## Happy Holidays

Greetings to all our friends...  
We thank you for your patronage!

We look forward to serving you in 1994. Marlin McMann & Staff of  
**McMANN AUTOBODY**

Complete Collision Repair & Refinishing, Insurance Claims, Sandblasting, DeVilbiss Cross Draft Paint Booth

Located 1 mile east  
1 mile south 1/4 mile  
east of Didsbury overpass.

Bus. 335-3663  
Res. 335-4436



## KNOX UNITED CHURCH



Minister  
Dr. Ken Jordan

## CHRISTMAS EVE SERVICES

7:30 Candlelight Service  
11:00 Candlelight Communion Service

## BOXING DAY

Regular Service ay 10:00 a.m.  
EVERYONE WELCOME!

Merry Christmas  
To One And All.





*Dear Santa,*

Dear Santa:

How are you and Mrs. Claus? Thank you for the toys that you brought last year. May I please have pencil crayons and felts and kite.

Matthew Douglas Miller  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How are you and Mrs. Claus? Thank you for the tape. May I please have paints and dazzles? I have been good.

Love, Jennifer  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How are you and Mrs. Claus? Thank you for the toys that you brought last year. May I please have a pony surpr. I have been good this year. Have a merry Christmas.

Love, Jessica Romanow  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How is Rudolf? Thank you for the toys that you brought last year. May I please have a bike and fly or kite, and Batman.

From Thomas  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How are you and Mrs. Claus. Thank you for Barbie doll. Edytodo teddy.

Jodi-Lynn  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How are you. Thanks for the barbie house. May I please have. May I please have red apples and a candle stick.

Love, Amanda G.  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary



*Happy Holidays!*

We wish to you and yours  
the best of the season...  
thanks for your  
patronage!



Best Wishes From  
Wally And The Staff  
From

**County Wide Vacuum**

(Olds)  
556-2201

**GREETINGS**

Time for us to say thank you for  
your loyalty and patronage  
throughout the year.

Management & Staff  
of  
**GORD DUNN**  
ENTERPRISES LTD.



"Stan's Barber Shop"  
Stan Laveck



**Happy Holidays**

We will see the dawn of  
peace when we learn  
the meaning of love.

**Aurora  
Travel**

Myrna, Mary Ann  
& Donald



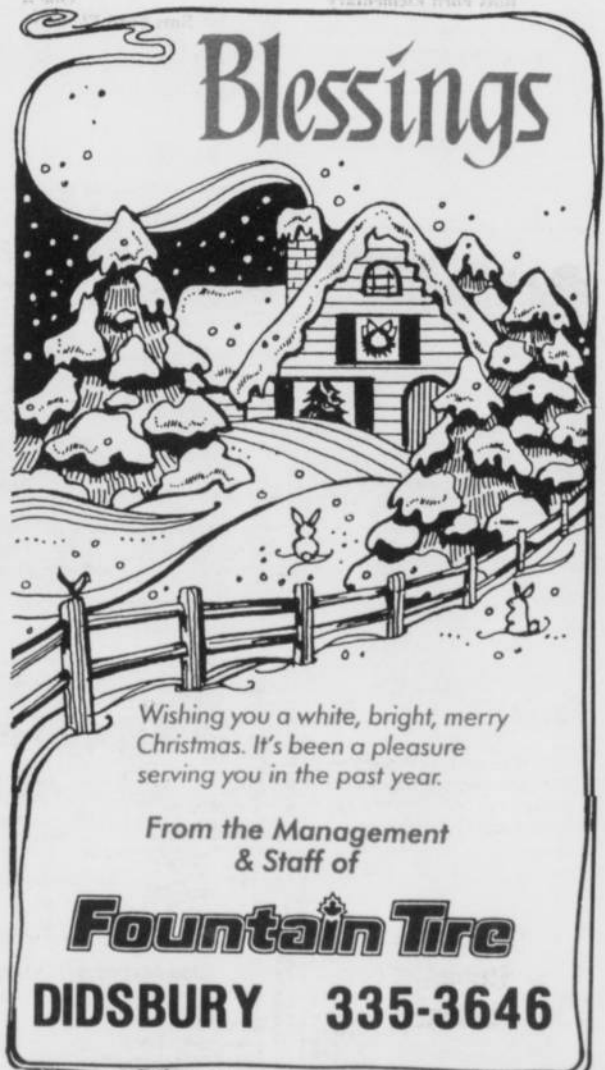
**PEACE  
on  
EARTH**

May the peace that passes  
understanding begin in each heart  
and encompass the whole world at Christmas.

Our wish for you is peace and  
happiness the whole year through.

From the staff at

**HILDEBRAND**  
Chev Olds Cadillac  
Olds, Alberta 556-3371



**Blessings**

Wishing you a white, bright, merry  
Christmas. It's been a pleasure  
serving you in the past year.

From the Management  
& Staff of

**Fountain Tire**  
**DIDSBURY 335-3646**





*Dear Santa,*

Dear Santa:

How is Rudolph? Are you getting enough sleep? I like Christmas. I would like a Crystal Princess for Christmas.

Stephanie Miller  
Ross Ford ECS

Dear Santa:

I have been a good girl this year. How are you? I would like another Crystal Princess for Christmas. I will leave milk and cookies for you.

Kimberly Hilchie  
Ross Ford ECS

*Joys of the Season*



Dear Santa:

How are you? Thank you for the Billy Ray Cyrus tape. May I please have some skates and stick holder. I was good.

Love, Bobby  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

Are you going to make it this year? Thank you for the toys. May I please have a sega genesis, a dog and trains.

Love, Erik Samuel  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How are you and Rudolph? I want a Transerme Turtle.

David  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

Dear Santa:

How are you and the elves. Please give me a sega and chocolate.

Tony  
One A  
Ross Ford Elementary

**Merry Christmas**  
To All Our Customers From  
**Dave's Appliance And Repair**  
Dave, Ev & Family 335-2369

**REJOICE!**  
Let every heart  
be filled with gladness!  
*Flowers n' Fun*  
1912 - 20th St., Didsbury  
335-4660

**Have Yourself  
A Very, Merry  
Christmas**  
**DRAPERY  
Magic**  
Your Friendship Means A Lot To  
Us. Thank You All Very Much.  
*Carroll Smith, Interior Decorator*  
**556-7111**  
5317 - 43 St., OLDS, ALBERTA T4H 1B6

**SEASON'S  
GREETINGS**  
We hope your  
Christmas is filled  
with love, warmth  
and happiness. Your  
continuing patron-  
age has made this  
Christmas a wonder-  
ful one for us.  
**From The  
Staff**  
And Management  
Of The  
**A & W  
Restaurant  
Olds**  
**A&W**  
RESTAURANT  
DINE-IN — TAKE-OUT  
DRIVE THRU  
5114 - 46th STREET, OLDS  
HWY. 27

**Cheer**  
Just for  
you: our very  
best wishes!  
M.J. & Staff  
Kidsbury Day Care

**Mountain  
View MOTORS Ltd.**  
To you: Our best wishes of the holi-  
day season! It's great to have you as  
our valued patrons. Greetings from  
Cliff, Art, Mike & Staff At  
**FORD  
MERCURY**  
2202 - 20 Street, Didsbury  
335-3396





Dear Santa:

How are you and Mrs. Claus. I'm fine how are your elves and reindeers. For Christmas I would like: hollywood hair barbie, a paint by number of kittens, a dress, a doll with a dress that matches mine. That's all I want for Christmas. Merry Christmas.

Love, Naomie  
Age 8  
Dec. 15/93

Dear Santa:

Some kids do not belive in you. My brothers do not belive in you. I myself sometimes do and do not belive in you. My brothers Darren McKinnon and David McKinnon tell me you are not really Santa. Know to get on with the list. 1. I would like a hamster, 2. a phone, 3. jeans, 4. watch, 5. some popples and last of all 6. a beed designer. I belive in you Santa sometimes not always.

From Michelle McKinnon  
Box 1492  
Didsbury, AB T0M 0W0



The Edwards

Dear Santa:

My name is Terrill. I wond like a computer game and Brad wond like a toy rifle and Kayla wond like a doll hose. I have a new brother name Jason. You can bring a toy for him. My mom wond like a new can opener. My Dad wond like a new chore coveralls. We have been good.

**HO, HO, HO!**

Have the merriest of holidays! Greetings from

Jim & Sheila  
**MEDALLION  
TROPHIES**



*Star of Wonder*

May the light of His love  
brighten your home and  
warm your heart.

**Didsbury  
Chiropractic  
Clinic**

Dr. Dave & Dr. Kirsten Phillips & Staff

To Santa:

Ples kan you get me tho theings  
ples. A pone sopris and a burbe and  
a tddy bar to.

Love, Stacey Hull  
5 years old

Dear Santa Claus:

I love you. Could you please  
bring me a pink kitty surprise and  
Hollywood hair Barbie. My little  
brother David likes dinosaur toys.  
Baby Lauren would like a rattle.

Love from, Alyssa Smith  
5 years old

(My Nana helped me with the  
spelling).

**Greetings Of The  
Season**

A Merry Christmas to our patrons, good  
sports all. We are delighted to have you  
as our customers.

**Mountain View Sports**

Sporting Goods For All Seasons

Miller, Elaine,  
Alan & Brent

Ph. (403) 335-4688  
Didsbury, Alta. T0M 0W0

**Christmas  
Blessings**

May the  
wonder  
and joy of  
the First  
Christmas  
always be  
with you!

Thank you for your  
patronage and we look  
forward to serving you  
in the New Year.

**Sandstone  
Interiors**

*Merry Christmas*

With warmest greetings, we send to all,  
our dearest hopes for peace and joy!  
Best Wishes during the Holiday Season

Don & Elayne Tarzwell & Staff  
**Didsbury Home Hardware**

**FESTIVE SEASON**

May all the good things of Christmas  
come your way.

From Don, Randy & Staff of  
**FARYNA FOODS - Sundre**





*Dear Santa.*

The Didsbury Review/  
Contemporary Graphics Ltd.  
Wish List

Henry: New Christmas tape to listen to in the office.

Brad: Walls for his office.

Al: To go home for Christmas.

Del: Tom to be nicer to her.

Beth: A radio with 47 speakers that doesn't play country music.

Becky: To be able to wear blue jeans.

Dave: An expense account.

Tom: Del to be nicer to him.

Alison: A cellular phone so she doesn't miss the boy's calls.

Gene: A corporate day care program.

Raphael: Fireworks, lots and lots of fireworks.

Janice: More days between Tuesdays.

Dear Santa:

I'm writing to you for my wonderful daughter, Jennifer Pride. I think she's been a pretty good girl this year. She would like a gameboy, new jeans and the video Aladdin. Thanx Santa.

Becky Pride




**RING  
IN A  
HAPPY HOLIDAY**

It Brings Us Great Joy To Offer You Our Thanks  
And Fond Wishes For A Merry Christmas  
From:

Tracy Block, Karen Haderer, Joanne Wygiera,  
Gwenda Sorensen, Cindy Gruber & Lynda Krebs

*Cut 'n Loose Hair Design*

335-3686  
We Will Be Closed Dec. 25 - 28 & Jan. 1 - 3

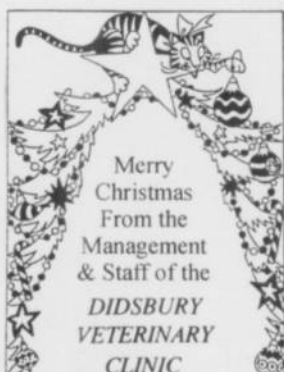



**Merry Christmas**  
From All The Staff At  
**Carstairs Ezzo Plus Foods**  
HAVE A SAFE AND HAPPY HOLIDAY  
520 - 10 Ave. S. 337-2960

**HO, HO, HO!**


Have the merriest of holidays!

**THANKS FOR YOUR PATRONAGE**  
From Brad & Craig  
**CHECKER AUTO PARTS**  
1802-20 St. Didsbury  
335-3349

Merry Christmas  
From the  
Management  
& Staff of the  
**DIDSBURY VETERINARY CLINIC**

Didsbury  
Ph. 335-3036



**Holiday Greetings**

May you and your family  
enjoy a happy and joyous  
holiday.

From Dick & Valeda, Rick & Dena,  
Al & Ken

**Dick's Auto Service**




**BLESSINGS**  
On this Holy Christmas, may you find a child's hope for tomorrow, a child's faith in his fellow being, a child's belief in the future, and a child's trust in God's love.

Thank You For Your Patronage  
From The Management And Staff Of  
**FEEG'S PROPANE LTD.**



## Yes, Virginia, There Is a Santa Claus

from the *New York Sun*, September 21, 1897

Almost a hundred years ago, a young girl wrote this letter to a newspaper. The answer, written by Francis Pharcellus Church, has become a Christmas classic.

Dear Editor—I am 8 years old. Some of my little friends say there is no Santa Claus. Papa says, "If you see it in the *Sun*, it's so." Please tell me the truth, is there a Santa Claus?

Virginia O'Hanlon

Yes, Virginia, there is a Santa Claus. He exists as certainly as love and generosity and devotion exists, and you know that they abound and give to your life its highest beauty and joy. Alas! how dreary would be the world if there were no Santa Claus! It would be as dreary as if there were no Virginias. There would be no childlike faith then, no poetry, no romance to make tolerable this existence. We should have no enjoyment, except in sense and sight. The eternal light with which childhood fills the world would be extinguished.

Not believe in Santa Claus! You might as well not believe in fairies! You might get your papa to hire men to watch in all the chimneys on Christmas Eve to catch Santa Claus, but even if they did not see Santa Claus coming down, what would that prove? Nobody sees Santa Claus, but that is no sign that there is no Santa Claus. The most real things in the world are those that neither children nor men can see. Did you ever see fairies dancing on the lawn? Of course not, but that's no proof that they are not there. Nobody can conceive or imagine all the wonders there are seen and unseeable in the world.

No Santa Claus! Thank God! he lives, and he lives forever. A thousand years from now, Virginia, nay ten times ten thousand years from now, he will continue to make glad the heart of childhood.



### "Thee" Coffee Shoppe & Deli

Merry  
Christmas  
And A Happy  
New Year  
From Carol  
& Gaston  
& Staff.

Christmas Hours:  
Dec. 24, 7-2:00  
Dec. 25-28, Closed  
Dec. 29-30, 7-5:00  
Dec. 31, 7-2:00



### SILENT NIGHT

Season's Greetings  
And Sincere  
Good Wishes For The  
Best Of Holidays  
from Arleen, Mel,  
Dale, Ian, Shawna  
& Shirley

ROYAL LePAGE



### Good Tidings



In the spirit of the season, may we wish  
you a blessed Christmas.

From Pastors Zimmerman, Werdal & Pahl &  
The Congregations Of  
**Didsbury & Zion**  
Evangelical Missionary Churches



The Christmas season  
reminds us that there is hope for  
peace on earth. We wish that peace to you!

The Staff Of  
**Didsbury Department Store**  
Would Like To Thank You  
For The Past Year's Patronage

Victoria Square Mall  
19 Ave. Didsbury  
335-3470



Joy  
and  
peace

Peace and good-  
will to everyone  
this Christmas Sea-  
son and always.

**Steve Fillmore**



The  
Mutual  
Group





## Last Minute Gift Suggestions Straight From The Heart:



**M**ake a batch of Christmas cookies and give them to someone unable to bake their own!

**E**rase all family disagreements and enjoy this year's Christmas get-together.

**R**esist teasing your little brother or sister so often.

**R**ead the Christmas Story from the Bible with your family.

**Y**ell at no one on Christmas Day. Speak softly and with love.

**C**all a group of friends and go caroling to shut-ins.

**H**elp your children to respect the true meaning of Christmas.

**R**emember to say thank you.

**I**nvoke someone to your home to share Christmas dinner.

**S**ay grace yourself instead of asking someone else.

**T**ake someone with you to Christmas services at the church.

**M**ake a child that Santa missed happy by giving him your favorite toy.

**A**id the first stranded motorist you see this holiday season.

**S**hare Christmas with someone less fortunate than yourself.

# Merry Christmas



## Happy Holidays

Greetings to all  
our friends... we  
thank you for  
your patronage!

Bernie & Tina & Family

### BEE-JAY'S WELDING

Didsbury

335-4334



Friendly greetings in the Yule tradition, to all our customers

# CHEER!

From Bill & Brenda & Staff

## RES-Q TOWING

Phone 335-8202

# IT'S CHRISTMAS!

Your kindness and support throughout the year have given us much to be thankful for. May all the blessings of the season find a place in your hearts and homes.

Hi Ho  
Gas &  
Grocery



## A Joyful Note...

Hope the season  
rings in all sorts  
of happiness for  
you!

From The Staff At

### THE HAIR LOFT

OLDS

Merry  
Christmas

# A JOYOUS CHRISTMAS MESSAGE

The beauty of Christmas lies in the thought that we live in the memory of our friends. We think of you with warmth and appreciation and wish you a bright and glowing holiday season.

## Kuelker's Mfg. Ltd.

Management & Staff

# HOLIDAY GREETINGS



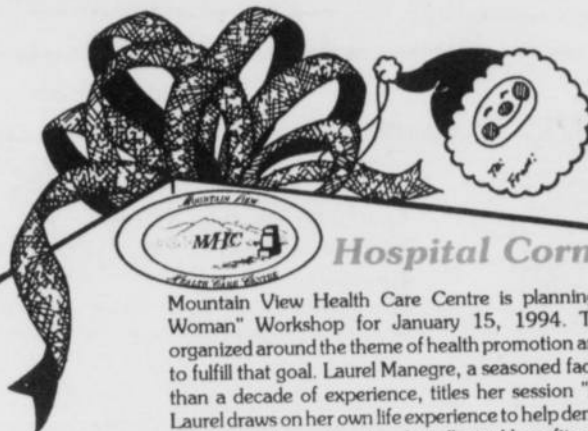
We have appreciated your patronage in the past and we hope that we can continue to serve you in the future.

Best of the Season

Ron, Linda, George, Trevor & Dale  
**RON'S AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR**



*Season's Greetings*



## Hospital Corner

Mountain View Health Care Centre is planning a fourth "90's Woman" Workshop for January 15, 1994. The workshop is organized around the theme of health promotion and this year is sure to fulfill that goal. Laurel Manegre, a seasoned facilitator with more than a decade of experience, titles her session "Healthy Humor". Laurel draws on her own life experience to help demonstrate the very real physical, emotional and intellectual benefits of laughter. In the afternoon Sharon Widdup, a key note presenter, will discuss the psychological effects of humor followed by a couple of her zany character presentations. You will come away with a keener understanding that life can be a laughing matter, and that laughing matters. The day runs from 9:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. and is filled with door prizes, a delicious lunch, nutritional coffee breaks and a makeover demonstration, and only costs \$40.00. If this sounds like a day that you or someone close to you would enjoy, give the Education Department a call at 335-9393, before January 7 for information on registering.

*Admited the hustle and bustle of the Season's celebrations, may each of you steal a few moments of solitude to reflect on the good health you have been granted. And may your New Year's resolutions include new commitments to preserve your health, safety and well-being.*

**Best Wishes**

from

*Mountain View Health Care Centre*

**COME ALL YE FAITHFUL**  
Have a joyful, triumphant holiday.  
Thankyou for your patronage.  
**CORNER STUDIO & GALLERY**  
Ruth Jepson - 335-3044

**GREETINGS**  
The Didsbury Municipal Library Board  
And Staff Wish Everyone  
A Merry Christmas And  
A Happy New Year  
2014 - 17 Ave. 335-3318

**Have A Jolly Time**  
SIDE STREET

**NOEL**  
We wish you a season of peace and harmony.  
**Ross Ford Elementary School**

**Happy Holidays**  
What wonderful sights and sounds the Christmas season has to offer - we wish them all to you!  
From the owners and staff of  
**COUNTY GLASS & CONTRACTING**

**GOOD TIDINGS**  
Let happiness and goodwill abound during this most joyous of holidays.  
**Didsbury Meat Processing**  
Glen, Kevin and Staff



***Wrapped in innocence, the son of God  
lay in this lowly place  
tonight a Savior born to man  
reveals thy Father's grace.***



# *Season's Greetings*

FROM ALL OF US AT

CONTEMPORARY GRAPHICS LIMITED

& THE DIDSBURY REVIEW



David, Henry, Tom, Beth, Gene, Ila, Bonny, Brad, Del, Janice, Alison,  
Becky, Al, Maxine, Luana, Rennie, Diana, Shannon, Raphael, Justin,  
Bessie, Noreen and Elaine.

